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Nixon signs bill to cut speed limit

SAN CLEMENTE, Calif. (AP) — President Nixon signed into law today a measure aimed at forcing the 50 states to adopt energy-saving speed limits of 55 miles per hour.

Nixon also signed another major bill setting up machinery for reorganizing seven bankrupt Northeastern railroads with federal loan guarantees of $1.5 billion and subsidies of more than $500 million.

Under the speed limit law, states will lose all federal highway funds unless they adopt 55-mile limits within 60 days.

Nixon said in a statement:

"I have been gratified and encouraged by the number of states which have already voluntarily reduced their speed limits in accordance with my request ... estimates indicate that we can save nearly 200,000 barrels of fuel a day by observing a national limit of 55 miles per hour."

In another statement, Nixon said he considered some of the rail subsidies to be higher than they should be. However, he termed the reorganization law "an important turning point in the history of America's railroad industry" and commended Congress "for passing such responsible legislation."

The railroad bill sets up a new United States Railway Association, a nonprofit government corporation, to borrow the $1.5 billion to set up a new rail network under a privately operated Consolidated Rail Corp.

The bankrupt railroads are the Penn Central, Central of New Jersey, Lehigh Valley, Reading, Erie Lackawanna, Boston and Maine, and Ann Arbor.

On Monday and Tuesday, Nixon placed a series of phone calls to Republicans Sens. Hugh Scott of Pennsylvania, Robert P. Griffin of Michigan, Barry Goldwater of Arizona, William E. Brock III of Tennessee and John G. Tower of Texas. He also called GOP Reps. John J. Rhodes of Arizona and Robert H. Michel of Illinois.

There was no word from the White House on what Nixon and the Congress members discussed. The White House has recognized the current congressional vacation as a potentially critical time of pulse- taking by Senate and House members regarding public attitudes toward the President.

Nixon also had telephone conferences Tuesday with Secretary of State Henry A. Kissinger, staff chief Alexander M. Haig Jr., assistant Ronald L. Ziegler and secretary Rose Mary Woods.

On Sunday, the Western White House had announced Nixon's appointment of his wife Pat, who is here, as member and temporary chairman of a new 25-member National Voluntary Service Advisory Council.

An embarrassed Ziegler withdrew the announcement Tuesday, saying:

"Because of Mrs. Nixon's great interest in volunteerism and the new council it was hoped that Mrs. Nixon could serve in this position. Due to an administrative error, the announcement was made before all legal and other checks were made. Under law, Mrs. Nixon can not hold a position appointed by the President."



Sikeston's first baby of 1974

Karole Lee Bogart, weighing seven pounds 10 ounces, won the race to become Sikeston's first baby of 1974 early New Year's morning at Missouri Delta Community Hospital. Karole Lee, who made her debut at 1:55 a.m. Tuesday, is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Bogart of 409 Shirley St. Her mother, Bonnie Bogart, is the one who looks proudest in the picture. Karole Lee joins two other children — both boys — in the Bogart family..

(Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

Body of Dexter youth found near rail tracks

DEXTER — The body of a Dexter youth, Stanley Martin Blunt, was found about 8:30 a.m. Tuesday lying beside the Cottonbelt Railroad tracks one eighth of a mile south of Route E near Idalia in Stoddard County. The 17- year - old had been dead since about midnight Monday, according to Stoddard County Coroner Ray Rainey.

The highway patrol said today that highway patrol Cpl. Kenneth Lancaster and Rainey located the body following a call from a railroad employe.

The boy left home about noon Monday and had been known to hop freight trains in the past, according to the patrol, which said Blunt apparently tried to get off and was struck by part of the train. His suitcase was found one mile farther south than the body.

Blunt was born June 28, 1956 at Poplar Bluff.

Surviving are his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Alfred Blunt of Dexter; two brothers, Robert and Ronny Blunt of the home; three sisters, Debra, Kathy and Sherry Blunt of the home; paternal grandmother, Violet Blunt of Dexter; and maternal grandfather, Charlie Stoker of Malden.

Friends may call at Rainey Funeral Home in Dexter, where funeral services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday.

Burial will be in Dexter Cemetery.

Shooting is ruled accidental

PORTAGEVILLE — The shooting death Tuesday of J. B. McDonald, 45, by his 17-year- old nephew, Donnie McCarty, was ruled accidental today by New Madrid County Coroner Gene Clayton.

McCarty, who was held for investigation, was released from custody by the sheriff's department.

McDonald was shot once in the lower right rib cage with a blast from a 12-gauge, bolt action shotgun and was dead on arrival at Pemiscot County Memorial Hospital in Hayti.

The shooting accurred at 4:45 p.m. in apartment No. 48 at Portage Village public housing project where both McDonald and McCarty lived with Mrs. Annie McDonald, mother of the victim and grandmother of McCarty.

According to Clayton, witnesses reported McDonald had been drinking and when

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Mississippi County begins new ambulance service

CHARLESTON — The Mississippi County Ambulance Service began operations at midnight Monday and one emergency run had been made before 9 a.m. today, according to Sheriff W. J. Pedro Simmons.

Plans for the service, operated through the sheriff's office, were finalized Monday at a meeting of the County Court.

A fee of $40 will be charged per trip from anywhere in the county to Missouri Delta Community Hospital in Sikeston. A trip to a hospital in Memphis or St. Louis will cost $135; to Poplar Bluff, $75; to Columbia, $185; to Farmington, $80 and to Chaffee, $50.

Henson Road, approximately halfway between Charleston and East Prairie, will serve as the dividing line for the two ambulances now in service. Lyle Scott will operate the East Prairie- based ambulance and William E. Woods the Charleston based ambulance.

Sheriff Simmons stressed that this is an emergency service only and that the ambulance attendant will not remain at a hospital to determine if the patient was admitted.

Radio dispatchers at the East Prairie City Hall and Charleston police department will handle all calls and dispatches.

The service will cost the county approximately $18,000 and the cities approximately $12,000 for the first year. A pro- rated breakdown on the cost to various cities and towns in the county, according to population is as follows:

Charleston, $5,930; East Prairie, $3,785; Bertrand, $698; Wyatt, $649; Anniston, $595 and Wilson City, $340. Payments are to be made quarterly by the cities.

The County Court Monday discussed the possibilities of seeking financial assistance from the county health department, which at present has $28,000 on time deposit. Of this amount $10,000 has been on time deposit since 1958, according to records in the county treasurer's office. December tax collections for the health department totaled $26,000.

2 jailed; marijuana is found

A young man and woman stationed at the Pensacola Naval Base in Pensacola, Fla., were in city jail this morning after their arrest for possession of marijuana.

Dale Robert Bottoms, 20, a seaman, and Patricia Louise Wardlaw, 20, a Wave, were arrested early this morning after policeman Brad Wilson became suspicious of Bottoms' actions.

Wilson said he was drinking coffee about 1 a.m. in a restaurant when Bottoms entered and asked where to get gasoline. Wilson told him and asked where he was from. Wilson said Bottoms was so nervous he couldn't tell him.

Wilson said he thought about Bottoms' actions and asked officer John Martin to meet him at the gas station.

When they arrived, neither Bottoms nor Miss Wardlaw were able to produce identification.

Wilson told Bottoms to drive the car to the police station. When they arrived Bottoms and Wilson went inside while Miss Wardlaw stayed in the car.

Martin stood behind the car and said he saw Miss Wardlaw push something under the seat. Martin then escorted her into the station and returned to search the car. He allegedly found a bag of marijuana under Miss Wardlaw's seat.

Also found were a smoked handmade cigarette and a roach clip, police said.

Amick-Burnett will continue ambulance

BENTON — Les D. Lankford, presiding judge of the Soctt County Court, announced Monday that Ollie Amick of Illmo and Jack Burnett of Chaffee, owners of Amick- Burnett Funeral Chapels, have agreed to continue providing ambulance service until April 1.

The announcement was made after Amick and Burnett had met with the court to work out such an agreement.

According to Lankford, most funeral homes in the county had said they would no longer provide ambulance service after Jan. 1.

"After April 1, we will have to make other arrangements," Lankford said.

He said the County Corut has already pruchased an ambulance, which is on order for use in Sikeston, and anticipates buying another one to be used in the north end of the county. Welsh Funeral Home of Sikeston still provides ambulance service in Sikeston.

H. B. McClanahan of Chaffee appeared before the court and asked that Jack Limbaugh of Chaffee be reappointed road commissioner for the Chaffee special road district Limbaugh's present term will expire in February. It was incorrectly reported in Friday's edition of The Daily Standard that McClanahan asked to be appointed to the position.

Clarkton man charged with beating 4-year-old

CLARKTON — A 35-year- old Clarkton garbage collector has been arrested and charged with felonious assault in connection with the Christmas Day beating and burning of a 4- year- old boy, Pros. Atty. Charles H. Baker said Tuesday.

Dee Wingate has been charged "with using his hands and a lighted or smoldering object" to assault young Samuel Lachance, the son of Mrs. Linda Sue Lachance, Baker said.

Wingate and the boy's mother live together in a house at Clarkton, Baker said. Samuel is the next to youngest of the woman's four children.

When a relative saw the little boy late last week, Baker said she reported it to police, who later arrested Wingate.

The child's left eye was swollen shut, his face was badly bruised, much of his hair had been pulled out, and there were numerous burns on his body, apparently made with a lighted cigaret, according to Sheriff Raymond Scott.

The child's mother, who is expecting a fifth child, was present when the boy was assaulted, the sheriff said, but apparently was afraid to report the matter to the police.

Wingate is being held in the Dunklin County jail. No bond has been set. He is to appear in Magistrate Court Friday.

The boy is in fair condition at Dunklin County Memorial Hospital at Kennett.



The maximum is 55

President Nixon today signed into law regulations stating that states which fail to adopt a 55 mile- per- hour speed limit within 60 days are subject to loss of all federal highway funds. The law is based on the fact that cars operate with much greater fuel economy at 55 m.p.h. than at the common 70- m.p.h. limit.

(Daily Standard photo by Tim Ludwig)

The energy crunch -Part 15

Cutting speed saves gasoline and lives

By PAT GROJEAN

Slowing down on the highway can save gasoline and alleviate the energy shortage, as well as cut down on the number of accidents and promote safety.

By traveling 50 miles per hour instead of 70 miles per hour, a car will use over 25 per cent less fuel. Driving 70 miles per hour will increase gasoline consumption by 12 per cent over a rate of 60 miles per hour.

Reducing speed 10 miles per hour on highways can mean potential fuel savings of up to two per cent.

On the highway, use the speed that gives the greatest gas economy. This varies among models, but usually occurs between 50 and 60 miles per hour.

Traveling during off-peak traffic times and using routes with a minimum number of traffic lights and stop signs are also methods of conserving gasoline.

As long as traffic conditions permit, maintaining a steady speed on highways can save fuel. Varying speed by five miles per hour in the 50 to 70 - mile per hour range can reduce fuel economy as much as seven to nine per cent.

Slowing down on the highways is not the only way to conserve fuel. Other methods will be discussed in the next article of this series on energy conservation.

It's inside...

Lloyd G. Briggs purchases Two-Tony's Smorgasbord; and a new movie, "Hitler: The Last 10 Days", focusing on the crumbling empire of Adolf Hitler during the closing days of World War II, will begin Friday at Malco Twin Cinema II. For business news, turn to ... pages 9 and 18.

Several flocks of turkeys will be relocated in Missouri this year to help the state balance turkey numbers. Turn to ... page 7.

...and outside

Winter storm watch tonight and Thursday; snow or sleet beginning late this afternoon or tonight and changing to sleet and freezing rain late tonight and Thursday; low tonight near 20; high Thursday upper 20s to low 30s; probability of precipitation 70 per cent tonight, 90 per cent Thursday.

EXTENDED FORECAST

Clear to partly cloudy and continued cold Friday and Saturday; highs to 30s; lows to teens; chance of snow and continued cold on Sunday.

HIGHS AND LOWS

High and low temperatures for the 24-hour period ending at 7 a.m. Tuesday were 28 and 6 degrees; and extremes for the period ending at 7 a.m. today were 17 and 6 degrees.

Sunset today ..... 4:53 p.m.
Sunrise tomorrow...7:12 a.m.
Moonset tomorrow.1:51 a.m.
Full Moon ..... Jan. 8

The planet Mars is the bright "star" near the moon tonight and tomorrow night. Mars will be in the evening sky this year until the beginning of September.

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POOR CHARLIE SAYS!

A man is always willing to lend a helping hand, but he does hate to lend money.

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THE MESSAGE FOR ALL:
KEEP ON TRUCKIN'

A truck driver's life is not an easy one. For them, the old saying about time being money is especially true.

Highway speed restrictions and fuel shortages, which necessitate more frequent refueling stops, along with higher prices for fuel when they can get it, have cut into their paychecks. Most people except possibly those motorists who have been stalled for hours on Interstates because of trucker blockades, sympathize with their plight.

Yet all of us, even if the more pessimistic predictions about the extent of the energy crisis don't come true, are going to feel the pinch. All of us are going to have to change our habits and ways of doing things, and all of us are going to be hit in our pocketbooks. The truckers just happen to have been the first to feel the impact.

It's too late to wish we had adopted the system they have in South Africa, where all intercity freight is carried by rail and truck deliveries are limited to 30-mile ranges.

If truckers are allowed to shut down such a vital part of the nation's transportation system, as a lot of them are threatening to do, what about workers whose earnings may be reduced, or jobs eliminated entirely, because of shortages of power or petrochemical raw materials?

If the protesting truckers get their way and are permitted to travel at 65 miles an hour (and there are conflicting arguments about whether diesel engines are more efficient at high speed), what about the salesman who must drive at 50 or 55 and to whom time is also money?

It's tough being a trucker. But it's tough all over, and likely will be for a long time to come.

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THROWING THE
WOLVES TO THE DOGS

The San Joaquin, Calif., County chapter of the National Organization for Women (NOW) reports that feminists in Stockton, Calif., have resurrected the Roman goddess Diana in the form of an award presented to members of the community "who have made significant contributions to the quest for women's equality."

Why Diana? Because, the California feminists say, the Roman goddess of the hunt stood for many of the same principles as feminists today. Woe be it to any man who threatened harm to any of the maidens under her protection, or looked upon the goddess as nothing but a "sex object."

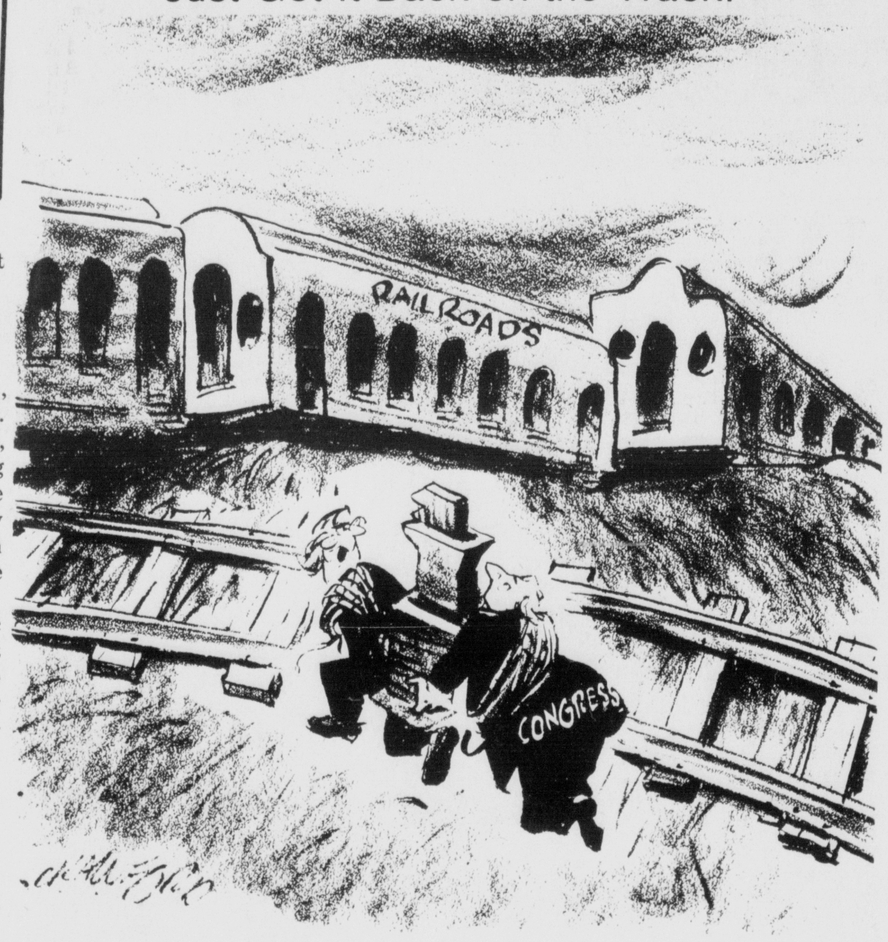
Myth buffs will recall what Diana did to one young man who foolishly attempted to submit her to — as they (not the Romans) used to call — "a fate worse than death." She turned him into a stag, whereupon he was torn to pieces by his own hunting dogs.

That was the first stag show, and if any of you male chauvinist pigs think that's funny, it just indicates how much you have to learn.

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As a Highway Users Federation publication reports, "Traffic accidents resulted in 56,600 deaths, 2.1 million disabling injuries and a total of $19.4 billion in costs to the American economy during 1972. This report on highway transportation losses last year is included in 'Accident Facts' ... published by the National Safety Council ... The publication also notes that the motor vehicle death rate for 100 million vehicle miles of travel decreased last year to 4.53 as compared to 4.61 in 1971."

"Stop Worrying About Getting It on Time — Just Get It Back on the Track!"



TODAY
JANUARY 2 — WEDNESDAY

GEORGIA: RATIFICATION DAY. Jan. 2. Fourth State to ratify constitution, on this day in 1788.

INTERNATIONAL BOAT SHOW. Jan. 2-12. Earl's Court, London, England.

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TOMORROW
JANUARY 3 — THURSDAY

ALASKA: ADMISSION DAY. Jan. 3. Became 49th State on this day in 1959.

BING CROSBY PRO-AM. Jan. 3-6. Monterey, Calif. Purpose: Youth activities and student loans. Info from: Larry Crosby, 170 N. Robertson Blvd., Beverly Hills, Calif. 90211.

KENNEDY MEMORIAL WINTER GAMES. Jan. 3- Mar 15. Lake Placid, NY. International winter sports competition preparing US athletes for Olympic competition. Held every year except Olympic years. Info from: Anthony M. Furman, Inc., Public Relations, 527 Madison Ave., New York, NY 10022.

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REMOVE THE GAGS!

The nation's shortage of fuel has prompted introduction of a bill in the Missouri legislature permitting removal of automobile air pollution control devices.

Offered by Rep. Donald Gann, R-Ozark, the bill repeals present Missouri law that required pollution control devides to be intact and operative for a vehicle to meet Missouri safety inspection regulations

The bill deserves speedy passage by the legislature, and the firm support of each Missourian.

Federal law now prohibits manufacturers or dealers from removing the defices, but the federal law does not prohibit private mechanics, non dealer garages or individuals from removing them, Gann says.

Removal of the gas guzzling emission control devices would significantly increase gasoline mileage on automobiles and prolong engine life.

There is no doubt that the emission control devices contribute more to the fuel shortage than they help solve the pollution problem.

Missouri Congressman Gene Taylor, a former Sarcoxie automobile dealer, has called on the federal government to take immediate steps to remove, or grant permission to remove, the emission control devices on all 1974 automobiles. Taylor says he has been told that elimination of emission control devices could save as much as 150,000 barrels of fuel a day in the nation. We hope Taylor introduces federal legislation requiring removal of the devices.

Taylor says a report issued by the Senate Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs quotes an estimate by the Chase Manhatten Bank that "one-half of the expected growth in gasoline demand will be the result of emission control devices on late model automobiles."

Taylor says one major car manufacturer has stated that removal of the control device could result in fuel savings of 6 per cent on 1974 cars alone. Other citizens contend the savings in gasoline would be even greater. Some report almost twice as much gasoline mileage without the device.

Regardless of how much gasoline is saved, the present energy shortage demands that the nation do all it can to save fuel. There is no doubt that removing the emission gags from automobiles would mean a signifiant savings in gasoline.

Have we in fact reduced air pollution when we cut down on the amount of pollutants per gallon of gasoline used, but greatly increase the total number of gallons of gasoline used because of the inefficiency of the emission control devices?

At a time when the nation is considering the closing of schools, cutting off energy supplies to factories and homes, and thereby creating unemployment, isn't it time to remove automobile emission controls that gobble up huge amounts of gasoline?

State Representative Gann and U. S. Congreesman Taylor deserve the support of each Missourian in their efforts to remove gas guzzling emission control devices from automobiles.

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Recently the United States Senate passed a strong new bill regulating the conduct of federal election campaigns. Now, before the ink is scarcely dry on the bill, Congress is being pushed to approve the financing of federal election campaigns -- including the President, vice president, senators and representatives -- out of the federal treasury.

It is our opinion that Congress should not be stampeded into hasty action that it would later regret.

While retaining the strong sections of the Federal Election Campaign Act of 1971, the new bill provides more restrictive limits on campaign contributions and spending; it requires that contributions of more than $50 must be made by traceable check instead of by cash; it places a reasonable overall limit on how much candidates may spend in primaries and general elections; and it requires full financial disclosures by all candidates for federal office.

But now some critics are claiming that strict regulation of private political campaigns is not enough -- that the only way to clean up political campaigns is to have them financed by the federal government out of federal tax funds to the tune of some $200 to $300 million tax dollars for each election year.

We do not believe that the federal government should subsidize political parties and political candidates. Instead of bringing candidates closer to the people they serve, federal financial support of candidates would only move government and government officials farther away, and it would make them less responsive to the wishes of the people and less dependent on popular approval of their actions.

By taking away the right of a citizen to give financial support to a candidate or political party of his choice, those critics would destroy much of the spirit of volunteer support and public participation in elections which are necessary in our political system and, certainly, our political freedom.

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NIXON 'PRIVILEGE'
SEEMS EXTREME

Again citing its constitutional duty to defend the doctrine of executive privilege against "attrition" of whatever degree from whatever quarter, the administration has declined to make available to the Ervin committee tapes of presidential telephone conversations.

Because, as is now known, all calls to and from President Nixon have been automatically recorded since 1971, the Nixon tapes presumably include conversations between him and John Dean, his former personal counsel and chief accuser at the Watergate hearings. And presumably, the tapes could go far toward proving or disproving the President's statement that he was unaware of the Watergate break-in and subsequent cover-up until late March of this year.

White House spokesmen and others have cited Thomas Jefferson as establishing the precedent of the doctrine of executive privilege. In 1807, Jefferson refused a subpoena issued by Chief Justice John Marshall to testify at the treason trial of Aaron Burr.

The rest of the story is not usually told. Each having made his point — Marshall, that the president was as subject to the law as any other citizen; Jefferson, that the president had higher duties which he could not abandon at the will or whim of judges — the two men resolved the matter sensibly. Marshall did not press for the president to appear at the trial in person, and Jefferson agreed to turn over certain documents to the court.

President Nixon, however, like no other president before him, has erected the concept of separation of powers into a vertiable Berlin Wall which permits of no breaching. There is to be absolutely no cooperation between the executive and legislative branches in any area which, to the President's thinking, touches upon the province of the presidency.

Carried to its extreme, as it was indeed carries by former Attorney General Herbert Kleindienst, this means that every one of the two million employes of the executive branch are immune from congressional scrutiny.

Many have accused the press of waging a "get-Nixon" campaign, of trying him by innuendo and hearsay. But how can it be otherwise when the President himself will not — or cannot — take even the most elementary measures in his own defense?

One of those measures would be to meet privately with the members of the Watergate committee, or just with Senator Ervin, and give the committee the information and answers they desire and which they must have to reach a conclusion to their investigation. No violation of anybody's constitutional prerogatives would be involved and public confidence in the government would be immeasurably boosted.

Contrarily, a presidential refusal to meet the Watergate committee halfway will only be interpreted by the public as a continuation of the Watergate cover-up.

It would be the irony of ironies if, by doggedly clinging to such a constitutionally and historically dubious doctrine as executive privilege, President Nixon were eventually to find himself unable to exercise the privileges of the executive.

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The much-married couple were discussing a property settlement, reparatory to divorce proceedings.

Finally the husband exclaimed, "Well, that takes care of the property. Now we come to the children. You will take yours, of course, and I'll take mine. But what are we going to do about ours?"

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Whether or not there should be a new Consumer Protection Agency is a highly debated issue these days. "Unfortunately support or opposition to the CPA is all too frequently been translated into labels of 'pro' or 'anti' consumer, and it has served only to obscure the real issues," sayd E. Douglas Kenna, president of the National Association of Manufacturers.

In testimony before the Senate, Mr. Kenna said the NAM supports adequate consumer protection, but opposes creation of an independent Consumer Protection Agency which would be above other agencies and departments of the federal government.

Strengthening of existing federal agencies to act on behalf of consumers would be a more balanced, problem-solving approach, according to Mr. Kenna. But the CPA would be essentially an exercise in inefficient government. It could not honestly serve the best interests of the consumer as a citizen. It could only represent some consumers at the expense of others.

One consumer might wish to pay a higher price for increased quality while another would prefer to accept lesser quality in return for a lower price. A middle standard might satisfy no one, and be particularly hard on the poor.

Another important point stressed by Mr. Kenna was that a function of the CPA would be to seek "the prevention of unfair or deceptive trade practices." This is similar to the mandate of the Federal Trade Commission. Two agencies with parallel functions would be wasteful and disruptive. He pointed out also that there are some 36 other federal agencies which have more than 1,300 functions protecting consumers.

The NAM supports expanding the Federal Trade Commission's jurisdiction to cover local problems, and believes it should be granted preliminary injunctive power.

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The House of Representatives approved an 11 per cent increase in Social Security benefits which will, if adopted by the Senate, place an even heavier tax burden on the nation's workers.

For literally millions of the nation's wage-earners the Social Security tax already exceeds their federal income tax. Furthermore, the higher payroll taxes on employers for past Social Security tax increases have forced 14 per cent of the nation's independent businesses to lay off workers, shorten work hours or reduce starting wages for new employes. An additional Social Security tax hike, according to economic experts, can only make the situation worse.

The House plan, while still maintaining the increase of the wage base to $13,200 for 1974, boosts the benefits by 11 per cent. Instead of the one-shot July increase, however, the House plan calls for a 7 per cent hike in April followed by a 4 per cent increase in July.

In addition, the wage base would jump to $14,000 in 1975, $15,000 in 1976 and $15,900 in 1977.

Meanwhile, the tax rate of 5.85 per cent for each employe and employer on wages subject to the Social Security tax would remain the same until 1977 when it would climb to 6.05 per cent. Eventually, the percentage would rise to 7.45 per cent.

Under the House's plan, the maximum Social Security tax payment would go from the current $631.80 to $772.20 -- equivalent to a 22 per cent rise for those earning $13,200 or more per year. By comparison, in 1950 a worker earning an annual salary at or above the wage base paid out only $45 in Social Security taxes.

For those receiving Social Security, the benefits would rise as follows: a single recipient now getting $167 a month would receive $178 in April and $186 in July; a married couple now receiving $277 would get $296 in April and $310 in July.

One of the main criticisms of the House plan is that it was rushed through without knowing its precise actuarial impact on the Social Security Trust Fund.

Experts predict it will add close to $5 billion per year to the federal budget -- a situation the Administration wants to avoid. Nevertheless, should the president veto the bill (if it passes the Senate), most observers predict that Congress would vote to over-ride, despite the state of the economy and the already heavy burden on taxpayers.

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An irate employee went to the paymaster's window and laid down his pay envelope. Carefully counting out the money, he looked the paymaster in the eye and said, "Twenty dollars short."

The paymaster picked up the envelope and turned to a record sheet to check the amount due. Smiling broadly, he came back to the window. "Last week we overpaid you twenty dollars," he explained. "You didn't complain about that."

"An occasional mistake I can overlook," replied the angry employee, "but not two in a row!"

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It is twice as hard to crush a half-truth as a whole lie.

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A computer expert reveals that it would take a hundred clerks working for a hundred years to make a mistake as monumental as a single computer can make in 1/1000 of a second.

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Johnny had been bad and was sent to his room. After a while he emerged and informed his mother that he had thought it over and then said a prayer.

"Fine," said the pleased mother. "If you ask God to make you good, he will help you."

"Oh, I didn't ask him to help me be good," replied Johnny. "I asked him to help you put up with me."

Boys will be boys, as the old saying goes, and it's a wise mother who accepts this fact. The same acceptance is the better part of wisdom for supervisors and managers, too. Few employees are ideal — no more than managers are — and the sooner any boss accepts this fact, the sooner he'll get on with the business at hand.

No athletic coach ever coached the perfect team. His job is to do the best he can with the material available. The real test of any leader, be he coach or company president, is the results he can achieve with the personnel available — not what he might accomplish if only all his people were stars.

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The thoughts that come often unsought and, as it were, drop into the mind, are the most valuable of any we have, and therefore should be secured because they seldom return again.

Hal Boyle

NEW YORK (AP) — You might think that old comedians never die; they just fade away. But that's not true of Rodney Dangerfield.

A lot of people have come up the hard way in show business. But Rodney has done it twice: first as Jack Roy, a reasonably successful comic on small club circuits, and then, after a lapse of 12 years, in his present name as one of the most popular comedians on television.

Rodney was born in Babylon, N.Y., the son of a vaudeville performer named Phil Roy. At age 15, Jack Roy started writing jokes and doing imitations of W.C. Felds and Charles Laughton in amateur hour shows, where he won prizes of $1, $2, and $5. When he was 17 he worked as a singing waitor at the Polish Falcon in Brooklyn and as a "paid amateur" for eight quarters a night in a Newark club.

Now he gets $8,500 plus expenses for a single appearance:

Between the quarters and the thousands was a period when Jack Roy quit the standup comic routines to "live a normal life" as a businssman (in paint) and collect a wife and two children. But he says he couldn't help "thinking funny" and when he did, he wrote it down. Now he has what he calls "a duffle bag full of jokes" that he can dip into anytime. He estimates that he has written between 10,000 and 15,000 jokes and used 3,000. Nine-tenths of his material is his own.

He admits that it was a tough road back when he decided to become a comedian again at age 40. At age 41 he was playing night clubs in the Catskills for free and was embarrassed to use his own name. A night club owner christened him Rodney Dangerfield. Then he persuaded his agent to book him on an Ed Sullivan rehearsal and Sullivan signed him up for two shows with an option for four more. Since then the going has been "up" for Rodney.

He has appeared on the Johnny Carson show 40 times and on the Dean Martin weekly show as the comedian-owner of a night club. And he really does own a $250,000 Manhattan night club, Dangerfield's, which he opened in September 1969.

Rodney says he has turned down offers of as much as $30,000 to appear in Las Vegas.

"I do quite well in my own club or I'd go to Vegas," he said. "People have a good time at my place and I like to see people walk out happy. There aren't many places left where you see people laugh. My place is probably the only one left that has a comedian working steady.

"It isn't good for a comic to hit too soon. He can't handle it. It takes a comic 20 years of walking the boards to feel at home. My night club routine involves making 150 to 200 jokes in 45 minutes. A laugh a minute isn't enough; you need three or four."

Washington Merry-Go-Round

By Jack Anderson

JACK ANDERSON SAYS:
White House Superspy

WASHINGTON-- The White House ordered E. Howard Hunt, its resident snoop, to conduct a secret investigation, in May 1972, of a prominent Cuban exile physician.

The subject of the scrutiny was Dr. Enrique Huertas, whose reputation is impeccable. Yet confidential White House documents show that the undercover Hunt was turned loose on him.

The probe was directed by one of President Nixon's staff assistants, William "Mo" Marumoto, who was paid by the taxpayers to find jobs and grants for worthy Spanish-Americans.

Marumoto mentioned the investigation in a confidential May 12, 1972, memo to White House aides Charles Colson and Fred Malek. "Had Howard Hunt check out Enrique Huertas, President of the Cuban Medical Doctors in Exile," Marumoto reported cryptically. He added that Hunt had submitted a report to him.

HUNT WAS BUSY

This was a busy time for Hunt, who was running around in a silly CIA wig carrying out heavy Watergate duties against newsmen, Democrats and unsympathetic Republicans. He is now serving time for his role in the Watergate break-in and conspiracy.

Dr. Huertas was turned over to Hunt for investigation at about the time the Cuban physician came to Washington to visit with Organization of American States foreign ministers. He also dropped by the White House to see Marumoto.

As Dr. Huertas recalls the encounter, he mentioned the need for a grant to build a medical facility for Cubans in Miami. Marumoto, in turn, invited Huertas to attend several receptions being held in connection with the OAS meetings.

Dr. Huertas impulsively refused to go, saying he didn't want to attend any OAS functions until he could go as a representative of a free Cuba. In retrospect, he told my associate Les Whitten ruefully: "Marumoto must have thought, 'Who is this guy, anyway?'"

DINNER INVITATION

As Marumoto recalls the incident, he received a call from Charles Colson's office asking about an invitation to Dr. Huertas to attend an official dinner. The Colson aide suggested that Hunt check out the physician. Marumoto called Hunt to his office, gave him the doctor's name and later received a written report. Marumoto doesn't remember what Hunt reported, except that it was summed up in one or two pages.

The discovery of the Huertas episode raises the specter of dozens of other unreported probes which may have been carried out by the White House undercover "plumbers" squad at the whim of anonymous Nixon staff assistants.

Clearly, the break- in at Daniel Ellsberg's psychiatrist, the bugging of columnist Joe Kraft, the attempt to discredit the Kennedys, the going- over the plumbers gave my own operation and other publicized "Mission: Impossible" escapades still haven't exhausted the secrets buried in the deepest files at 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue.

FOOTNOTE: Both Colson and Malek told us they cannot remember Huertas' name or Marumoto's memo.

REBOZO FAVORED: The President's pal, Bebe Rebozo, sold some land to the federal government in 1969 for the Biscayne National Monument. He received an over- the-appraisal settlement on one 12.4- acre parcel and a huge settlement on another 77- acre tract he owned jointly with three others. In contrast, neighboring property owners have complained to us they received single, take- it- or-leave- it offers that were far below the appraisal values.

PENTAGON PRIVILEGES: We have been inundated with citizen complaints that the military brass use government cars and drivers to haul around their wives and children. Spot checks have confirmed some of the charges. For example, Gen. Creighton Abrams, the Army chief, sends his daughter to an exclusive girls' school in Alexandria, Va. Along with some schoolmates, she is chauffered to and from school every day in a military station wagon. At the same time, the Pentagon is cutting back fuel for essential military operations.

FISH STORY: Last June, we reported that the National Aquarium was compelled to spend a tenth of its meager budget to provide exotic fish for the pampered poobahs of government. The taxpayers, for example, supplied former Vice President Spiro Agnew with Kissing Gouramis and White House press secretary Ronald Ziegler with Bleeding Heart Tetras. As a result of our column, the National Aquarium has now been authorized to phase out its door- to- door fish service. All fish- tank holders have been notified by letter that "the maintenance of existing aquariums will be discontinued."

SPANISH JOY RIDE: The 555th Air Force Band, a reserve unit of the Ohio Air National Guard, recently returned from a two- week tour of Spain. Although it may sound like a Spanish joy ride, it was anything but. The band members sat on wooden benches on aerial refueling planes for the trans- Atlantic trip.

They rushed around in an old bus to perform good will concerts. On the way to Toledo, Spain, the band's bus caught fire and their instruments went up in flames. Down but not out, the merry military musicians borrowed instruments, some from local high school students, to meet their remaining commitments. Then they returned on another aerial refueler, sitting for 15 hours on wooden benches.

H.L. Hunt

PERSONAL ENTERPRISE CAN REDUCE HOSPITAL COSTS

Hospital costs have consistently led the way in the inflationary parade. This has been one of the principal factors responsible for the increasing push toward socialized medicine.

As usual, the advocates of big government insist that tax-funded, bureaucratically controlled hospitals are the solution to the problem of rising costs, though experience has proved time and again that costs rise even faster in government programs.

Similar trends developed earlier in our northern neighbor, Canada. Now, however, in Toronto, one of Canada's largest cities, personal enterprise has been brought back into medical practice in the specific area of hospital administration, where the worst problems have existed. The record shows that it is working.

Dr. Paul F. McGoey, former chief of surgery at Scarborough General Hospital, has founded One Medical Place, a personal enterprise medical care center in Toronto. In the eight years since it was founded, One Medical Place has consistently cut both the time its patients spend in hospitals and the time they lose from work. They provide essential medical services more cheaply than existing general hospitals, but with higher quality.

However, the Ontario health ministry is refusing to grant Dr. McGoey the license he needs to build a full- fledged hospital at One Medical Place. The reason, according to Milan Korcok, writing in the Canadian Medical Association Journal, is that they do not intend to give personal enterprise "more of a foothold in Ontario's hospital system." We in the United States should learn from the success of this undertaking and not allow bureaucratic obstruction to frustrate similar enterprises in our country. HLH

Ark-Mo starts some gas cuts

BLYTHEVILLE, Ark. — Arkansas-Missouri Power Co. and its Missouri subsidiary, Associated Natural Gas Co., began shutting off its "interruptible" natural gas customers this week, according to Ark-Mo President Frank G. Smith.

"Interrruptible" customers, he said, are those who — in exchange for a cheaper rate — have agreed that their gas may be turned off when the system's supply is running low.

The category includes most of the area's large industries, schools and hospitals.

Smith said the cut- off was prompted by Monday's cold snap "and because our supply of natural gas will be cut by another 4 million cubic feet Jan. 1."

To date, he said, the utilities' supply of natural gas has been curtailed by about 1 billion cubic feet.

Most of the curtailments, he said, have been by the system's principal pipeline supplier, Texas Eastern Transmission Corp. The other major supplier, Texas Gas, has indicated it will begin curtailing gas deliveries about April, Smith said.

Smith said Ark- Mo had been able to forestall disconnecting its interruptible customers this long "because we have had a mild winter and because our customers have been conserving energy."

Couch burns in basement

Firemen were called at 10:30 p.m. Monday to the Imogene Johnson home, 312 Greer St., when a couch caught fire in the basement.

The couch and some rags and clothing, apparently caught fire from a spark from the furnace, firemen said. The couch was setting near the open furnace door.

The fire was confined to the couch, firemen said.

$2,000 worth of chemicals stolen

HUNTERVILLE — Approximately $2,000 worth of chemicals were taken from Monsanto Chemical Co. Monday night, according to Stoddard County sheriff's department.

Burglars broke a padlock on a rear door to get into the building.

Essex man arrested for trespassing

Gary Donald Martin of Essex Route Two was arrested for trespassing about 3 a.m. Tuesday when he entered the Paul Adams home, 108 Baker Lane.

Police said Martin had apparently been drinking and didn't know where he was. Police later found his car on Peach Tree Lane and towed it to the police station.

Other arrests announced today included Ned Tanner, Route One, speeding; Mona Carol Thompson, Box 833, assault and battery; Allen Joseph Ryan, 615 Cleveland, petit larceny; and Gregory Stricker, 912 Lake, petit larceny.

8 injured in SeMo

Two area traffic accidents Monday resulted in eight injuries, but no injuries were reported New Year's Day on Southeast Missouri roads, the highway patrol announced today.

Six persons were injured in a three- car collision at 4:30 p.m. Monday on Highway 67 four miles south of Poplar Bluff.

The accident occurred when Irvin O'Brian Nance, 20, of Poplar Bluff lost control of his northbound car on icy pavement and ran into the back of a car driven by Vickie Ann Arnold, 19, of Corning, Ark., then collided with a third car driven south by Eli Freeman Haynes, 27, of Poplar Bluff.

All three drivers received minor injuries. Also slightly injured were three passengers in the Haynes car, Karen Haynes, Erick Haynes and Corey Haynes, whose ages were not reported.

Nance was taken to Poplar Bluff Hospital. The others were taken to Lucy Lee Hospital in Poplar Bluff.

An accident at 10:15 p.m. on Highway 142 eight miles west of Doniphan resulted in two injuries.

Darmon G. Massey, 47, of Gatewood Route Six, lost control of his pickup truck which skidded on icy pavement, ran off the road and overturned.

Massey received minor injuries and a passenger, Wanda Massey, 21, of Springdale, Ark., suffered serious injuries. Both were taken to Ripley County Memorial Hospital in Doniphan.

An experienced blacksmith may shoe 10 to 12 horses during an average day, needing about half an hour each. A hard-working smith may earn $20,000 to $30,000 a year.

Livestock market

NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, Ill. (AP) — Estimated receipts for Thursday: 6,000 hogs, 1,000 cattle and 100 sheep.

Hog receipts 7,000 head, butchers 50.00-75.00, some 1.00 lower. Trading moderately active. Sows steady to 1.00 higher. U.S. 1-3 200-230 lb. butchers 42.50-43.00; 230-250 lbs. 41.0042.75. U.S. 1-3 300-400 lb sows 34.00-35.00, some 35.50; 400-500 lbs mostly 34.00-35.00; 500-600 lb 35.00-35.50, few 36.00. Boars under 250 lbs. 33.50-34.00; over 250 lbs. 31.00-31.50. Cattle receipts 1600 head. Fairly active. Slaughter steers and heifers steady, mostly 50 lower. Cows and bulls fully steady.

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First National to pay 15% dividend

Pat Lea, president and chief executive officer of First National Bank of Sikeston, announced today that the board of directors has declared a cash dividend on 15 per cent on the captial stock for shareholders of record on Dec. 31, 1973.

The dividend will be paid Jan. 15, and each shareholder will receive 30 cents per share on his stock.

Lea said "the bank has experienced tremendous growth the past three years and earnings are now coming into line with the growth of the bank."

Three plead guilty to misdemeanor charges

NEW MADRID — Three persons were fined $125 each and given suspended jail sentences when they pleaded guilty to misdemeanor charges in Magistrate Court before Judge Leo Hedgepeth.

Charged with driving while intoxicated, Thomas Allen Calton received a fine and six- month suspended jail sentence, suspension of driver's license for one year and one year on probation.

Darnetta Smith was fined on a peace disturbance charge, but the fine was stayed until summer when she can obtain employment. She paid court costs, and a six- month jail sentence was suspended.

Jorge L. Delacenda was fined on a speeding charge, and a six- month jail sentence was suspended upon payment of fine and court costs.

Glen Jewell Wiseman was fined $90 on charges of driving while license is under revocation and operating improperly registered vehicle. He received a six- month suspended jail sentence and was placed on probation for one year.

Jerry Hays forfeited a $40 bond posted on a peace disturbance charge.

Bob Kurr was assessed $50 fine on a careless and imprudent driving charge. Willie Andy Ballo paid $45 fine on similar charge.

Ellis Scott and Charles Vernon Todd were fined $35 each on public intoxication charges.

Frank Slentz was levied a $25 fine on charges of failure to display certificate of inspection on vehicle and illegal possession of truck license plates.

Fined on speeding charges were Charles Elvis McCann, $20, and Stanley Cothran Curtis, $30.

Assessed $20 fines each were Riverside Chemical Co., no copy of special fuel permit in vehicle; Miller Trucking Co., operating overlength vehicle; Joseph Leon Gibson, no operator license; Cecil Douglas Clark, operating overwidth vehicle; and Raymond Richard Troughber, operating vehicle with no cover on load.

Fred Saltzman was awarded a $180.24 judgment in a civil suit against Fred Junior Scallion and McKinley Thornton.

Tape player stolen from car

A tape player was reported stolen Sunday or Monday from a car belonging to Jane Anne Baker, 313 Circle Drive.

Police said the car was entered sometime between 10 p.m. Sunday and 7:50 a.m. Monday while the car was parked at the Baker home.

The tape player was valued at $35.

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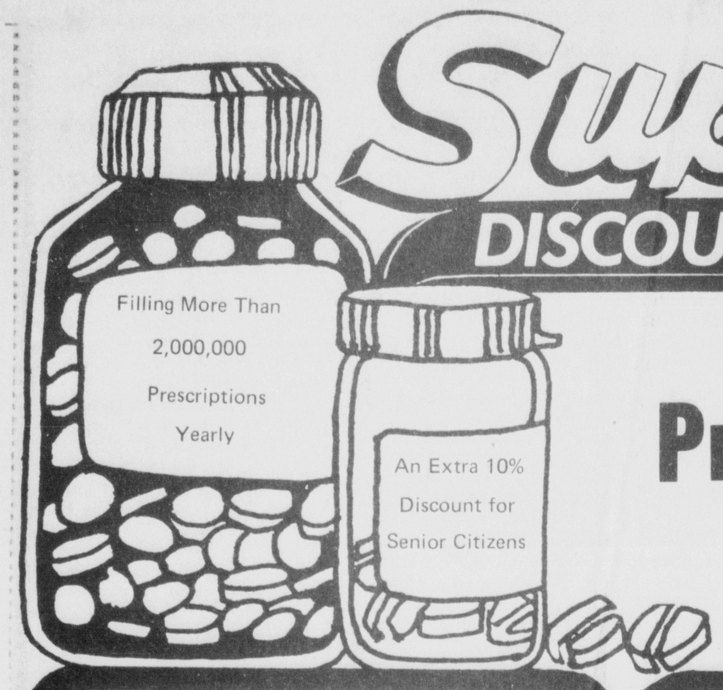
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Daughters-in-law write more letters than sons

Dear Ann Landers: Whenever you print a letter that puts a mother- in- law in a bad light, my daugher- in- law sends it to me. No comment-- just the column. Otherwise, I never receive a line from her. She believes it's up to a son to write to his mother and his wife shouldn't "take him off the hook," as she puts it. My son hates to write so I rarely hear from them. I envy other grandmas who get pictures of the little ones and nice letters to cheer their lonely days. This boy is my only child and his children are very dear to me. What about it, Ann? Am I expecting too much?-- Salinas, Kansas

Dear S.K.: If we took a poll I'll bet we'd find that the great majority of letters written to grannies come from daughters-in- law, not sons.

Since your son hates to write, he should pick up the phone-- every other Sunday perhaps-- and place a station-to- station call just to say hello. It would be the finest gift he could give you and it would cost very little.

Dear Ann Landers: I live next door to a teenage girl who deserves to be complimented. I don't even know her name, but if you print my letter I am sure she will recognize herself.

All summer long and into fall and winter, this girl has had boyfriends come by to visit her. One particular fellow is especially attractive. She always entertains him on the steps. Sometimes they walk down the street a few hundred feet and sit on the wall near the bus stop. Why? Because her mother works and I presume she has been asked not to entertain boyfriends in the house unless a parent is present.

This girl always appears to be having such a good time, and so do her boyfriends. They laugh a lot and have animated conversations. She evidently loves and respects her parents and I'll bet the boys like her more because she has such good character.

I predict one day this young lady will marry well and be very happy. There will be no regrets to bug her, and no guilt-- Teen Watcher in Richmond

Dear Teen Watcher: What a refreshing letter! I've always believed that teenagers need models more than they need critics. So there's a model for you, girls.

Dear Ann Landers: I finally know why people write to Ann Landers: For the first time in my life I have a problem I can't handle.

My husband, who makes $20,000 a year, was arrested for shoplifting $5 worth of junk. The shame I feel for him is driving me crazy. He says he doesn't know why he did it. He has never done anything dishonest in his entire life. I am completely bewildered. I am not a religious fanatic, but I now see him as a sinner-- weak and foolish.

The children don't know what to make of it and I don't know what to tell them. The judge was lenient because this was his first offense and his reputation is excellent. But my confidence in him is shot. Help me put my life back together-- Denver

Dear Denver: Sounds as if the man had a sudden siege of mental illness perhaps a small stroke. Please talk to a therapist or a counselor. It may be that he needs therapy-- and you could use some also-- to rid yourself of the hostility and anger.

Even if drinking is the "in" thing in your crowd, it needn't crowd you out. Learn the facts from Ann Landers's booklet, "Booze and You-- For Teen-Agers Only." Send 35c in coin and a long, self- addressed, stamped envelope to Ann Landers, P. O. Box 3346, Chicago, Illinois 60654.

BEVERLY SILLS SINGS 'BARCAROLLE'

NEW YORK (AP)—An erroneous published report said that parts of "The Barcarolle" from the opera, "The Tales of Hoffmann," were too low for soprano Beverly Sills to sing.

Miss Sills, who sings all four heroines in this Offenbach opera for the New York City Opera company, sings "The Barcarolle" in the second act—including all the lowest notes.



Tonya Beck

Couple will wed in March



Marcella Simpson

LILBOURN — Mr. and Mrs. Loyne D. Simpson announce the engagement of their daughter Marcella Faye to Samuel Hugh Faulkner, son of Mr. and Mrs. Hugh Faulkner of New Madrid.

The bride- elect is a graduate of Lilbourn High School and attended Southern Baptist College at Walnut Ridge, Ark. She is employed by Action Printing Services of New Madrid and also serves as part- time secretary for New Madrid Baptist Church.

Faulkner is a graduate of New Madrid High School and is a farm owner and operator in New Madrid County.

A March 2 wedding is planned.

Miss Beck has party

Miss Tonya Marie Beck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Roger Beck, 612 Matthews Ave., celebrated her first birthday Dec. 26 with an afternoon party in the Security Federal Savings and Loan Association community room.

Guests attending were Mrs. Dorothy Maxwell, maternal grandmother, and Carol, Stella and Edwin Maxwell and Jeannie, Cathy and Doris Beck, aunts and an uncle.

Square dance set for Friday

NEW MADRID — The Riverbend Squares are sponsoring a square dance for beginners and experienced dancers Friday from 8 to 11 p.m. at the New Madrid community building.

Dances will be called by George Barbre of Doniphan.

For more information, contact Robert or Martha Hendricks by phone at 748-5092.

Dr. James Feurig, former Green Bay Packer, is serving as Michigan State's athletic team physician for the 21st year.



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Rubella follow-up stresses teaching the deaf to speak

by Elizabeth S. Ruppert, M.D.
Director, Communications Disorders Center, Children's Hospital Columbus, Ohio

Turning the deaf into the hard of hearing, and the hard of hearing into the almost normal—that's what we're doing in a March of Dimes-supported program aimed at teaching the deaf to speak.

In a follow-up study of 80 youngsters stricken with congenital hearing loss during the 1964 rubella epidemic, we work not only with the children but with their families—and that includes grandparents and siblings.

Because talking is our most important way of learning and expressing feelings, our approach is to get the family to talk to the deaf child, to surround him with sound from the time he is very young.

The sooner parents recognize that the child has a hearing impairment, the easier it will be to train him in communications skills. There is a simple, reliable test which parents can try with any child from three months to two years.

Distract the child visually while making a sound at the side of his head. The child with normal hearing should turn to search out the sound. If by eight months the child does not respond, he needs both a medical and hearing evaluation.

Once a hearing disability is recognized, parents should have the child fitted for a hearing aid and make sure he wears it all day. No child is too young for one. In fact, we find it is less trouble getting an infant under two used to the device than it can be later on.

Self Image

A hearing aid also enables auditory training to begin. At our clinic we encourage the child to listen for sounds in the environment—loud sounds first, softer ones later on. We also urge parents to develop his listening skills through children's records, portable radios, and reading aloud to him. It also helps when speaking to the child to say his name first so he will pay attention.

Parents needn't worry that the child will feel self-conscious about wearing a hearing aid. A child regards himself as his parents regard him. If they pity him, he will pity himself. If they regard him first as an individual with a personality, and second as having a disability, he will respect himself and not mind wearing the device.

Preschool training is a good idea in helping him prepare for the language studies offered in elementary school. Even if the child needs to be in a school for the deaf, he should be integrated into a class with hearing youngsters as soon as possible.

Contact with normal youngsters will help the deaf child in his speech development. Language ability has a snowballing effect. The more a person has, the more he learns.

How did I become interested in this area of birth defects? One of my own children has impaired hearing from that 1964 rubella epidemic, which damaged or destroyed an estimated 50,000 infants. My daughter is a healthy, happy girl, who speaks, listens and understands. She's working at grade level in a hearing school with supportive services. Widespread immunization of children, 1 through 12, the principal sources of infection, reduces the danger of passing the disease to pregnant women.

Now that there is a rubella vaccine, let me urge all parents to make sure their children get the shots against German measles. There is no substitute for prevention.



"DO YOU READ ME LOUD AND CLEAR?" Dr. Elizabeth S. Ruppert, director of the March of Dimes-supported Communications Disorders Center at Children's Hospital, Columbus, Ohio, teaches Chuckie Hammond how to use an auditory trainer. The boy suffers from congenital hearing loss caused by the rubella epidemic of 1964.

NOTICE

Wedding information must be submitted to The Daily Standard within three weeks after the ceremony. Weddings one month old or older will NOT be run.

Book Review

THE ELECTRONIC OLYMPICS
by Hal Higdon
(Avon 14359/$.75)

The official olympic computer, PED-72, is supposed to juege all sports events in THE ELECTONIC OLYMPICS, by Hal Higdon. But Sports Weekly photographer Dace Henderson doesn't like the idea of mechanical sport, so he and a young friend devise some excellent plans for clogging the gears.

THE CONCRETE BOOT
by Kenneth Roybe
(Avon 14720/$.95
192 pp.)

THE CONCRETE BOOT is the second adventure in Kenneth Royce's new series which features Spider Scott. Scott, who made his debut in THE XYY MAN, is afflicted with an extra Y chromosome, ostensibly the reason for his fascination with a life of crime.

Because of his acquaintances, his connections, and a too- large fund of knowledge, Spider Scott discovers that the London underwold is taking his measurements for THE CONCRETE BOOT.

Avon will publish THE MINIATURES FRAME, Royce's current hardcover success in November. A fourth Spider Scott adventure will be published by Simon and Schuster in late 1973.

THE USA: A VISITORS HANDBOOK
by the Editors of
Time/Life Books
Avon 14829/$1.65
511 pp.

Time-Life's THE USA: A VISITOR'S HANDBOOK contains so much information on vacationing in the USA, it's a handy guide for any traveler, native or no. Included is essential information for the foreign visitor on travel and distance, how to deal with American airports and customs, and what to expect from American hotels; for both the native and foreign visitor, a summary of the highlight attractions in eight famous cities, and guidelines to touring 23 others. Particularly welcome is the mention of such little- known attractions as the annual contest for the coveted title of The World's Fastest Sardine Packer.

HOSPITAL NOTES

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Census Report 1-1-74

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.- Surg.	118	70	6	45
Pediatrics	25	13	0	12
Obstetrics	14	9	0	5
Intensive Care	7	6	0	1

Patients Scheduled For Admission Today: Eight

Census Report 1-2-74

Area	Total Beds	Patients	Reserved Emer. Beds	Gen. Adm. Beds
Med.- Surg.	118	78	6	37
Pediatrics	25	12	0	13
Obstetrics	14	9	0	5
Intensive Care	7	3	0	4

Patients Scheduled For Admission Today: Seven

MISSOURI DELTA COMMUNITY
Released Dec. 31
W. C. Bryant, East Prairie
Earl R. Nolen, Anniston
Doyle W. Noe, Sikeston
Boyd A. Green, Florrissant
Winnie Carrington, Morehouse
Mrs. Delois Yarbrough and baby boy, Sikeston
Pollard Finley, East Prairie
Flo Almon, Charleston
Gwen F. Snider, Dexter
Judy A. Ruhl, Sikeston
John H. Daniel, Charleston
Dora S. Baker, Dexter
Minnie Eskew, Sikeston
Glenda R. Barber, Dexter
Travis Shelby, East Prairie
Gough Williams, East Prairie
Total Patients discharged: 18
Total Patients admitted: 13
Births: 1

EMERGENCY DEPT.
Accident Patients 13
Medical Patients 27
Others 5
Total Emer. Patients: 45

Released Jan. 1
Earl L. Grim, Essex
Mrs. Brenda K. Cooper and baby girl, Sikeston
Allen L. Creekpaum, Sikeston
David G. Cron, Sikeston
Amanda Cooper, Sikeston
Bridget P. Syre, Bertrand
Van A. Hubbard, Sikeston
Ralph E. Crutchfield, Morehouse
Misty D. Case, Waverly, Tenn.
Total Patients Discharged: 10
Total Patients Admitted: 19
Births: 4

EMERGENCY DEPT
Accident Patients: 5
Medical Patients: 32
Others: 3
Total Emer. Patients: 40

DEXTER MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Glenda Ray, Sikeston
Gentry Thrower, Dexter
Jackie Pullum, Bloomfield
Frances Mitchell, Bloomfield
Released:
Margie Elam, Dexter
Ralph Roby, Bloomfield
Essie Warnecke, Bloomfield
Arthur Freythe, Kennett

PEMISCOT MEMORIAL
Admitted:
Gussie Samuels, Caruthersville
Mary Johnson, Caruthersville
Timmy Lovelady, Caruthersville
Diann Day, Caruthersville
Charles Riney, Caruthersville
Vaughn Meredith, Caruthersville
Vicky Shuburge, Hayti
Charles Bolan, Steele
Wanda Brewington, Sikeston
Released:
W. W. Hicks, Caruthersville
Bobby White, Caruthersville
William Smith, Caruthersville
Jatissa Shannon, Hayti
Fannie Marshall, Pascola
Alice Demarco, Johnstown, N. Y.

CHAFFEE GENERAL
Admitted:
Roy Fulcher, Glenallen
Nathalie Hites, Chaffee
James Burnett, Morley
James Teegarden, Chaffee
Melvia Cook, Lutesville
Albert Dannenmueller, Oran
Ada Mansell, Oran
Dora Masters, Jackson
Anthony Nolan, Marble Hill
LeAnn Qualls, Benton
Betty Reed, Dutchtown
William Robinson, Sikeston
Earleen Whitesell, Chaffee

Released:
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Elige Madden, Morley
Richard Seyer, Chaffee
Marvin Kirpatrick, Lutesville
Zinia Gribler, Zalma

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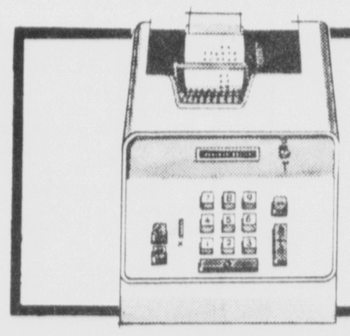
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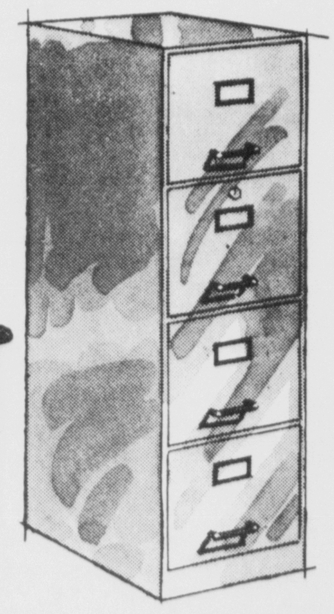
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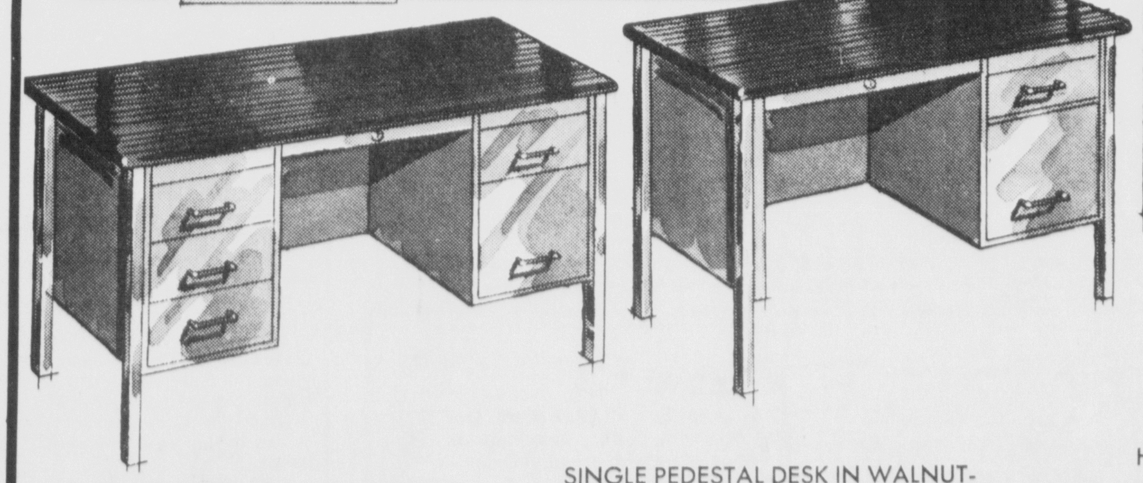
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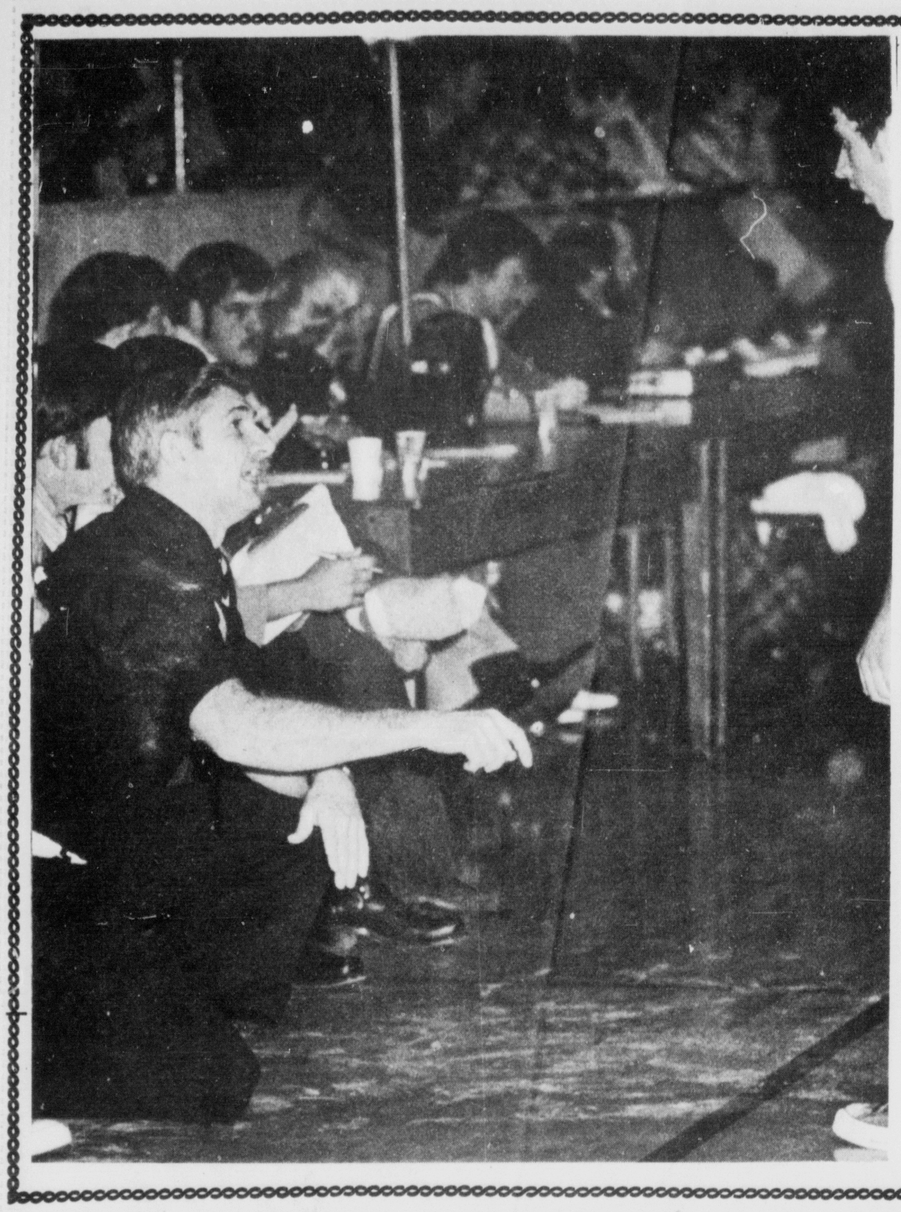
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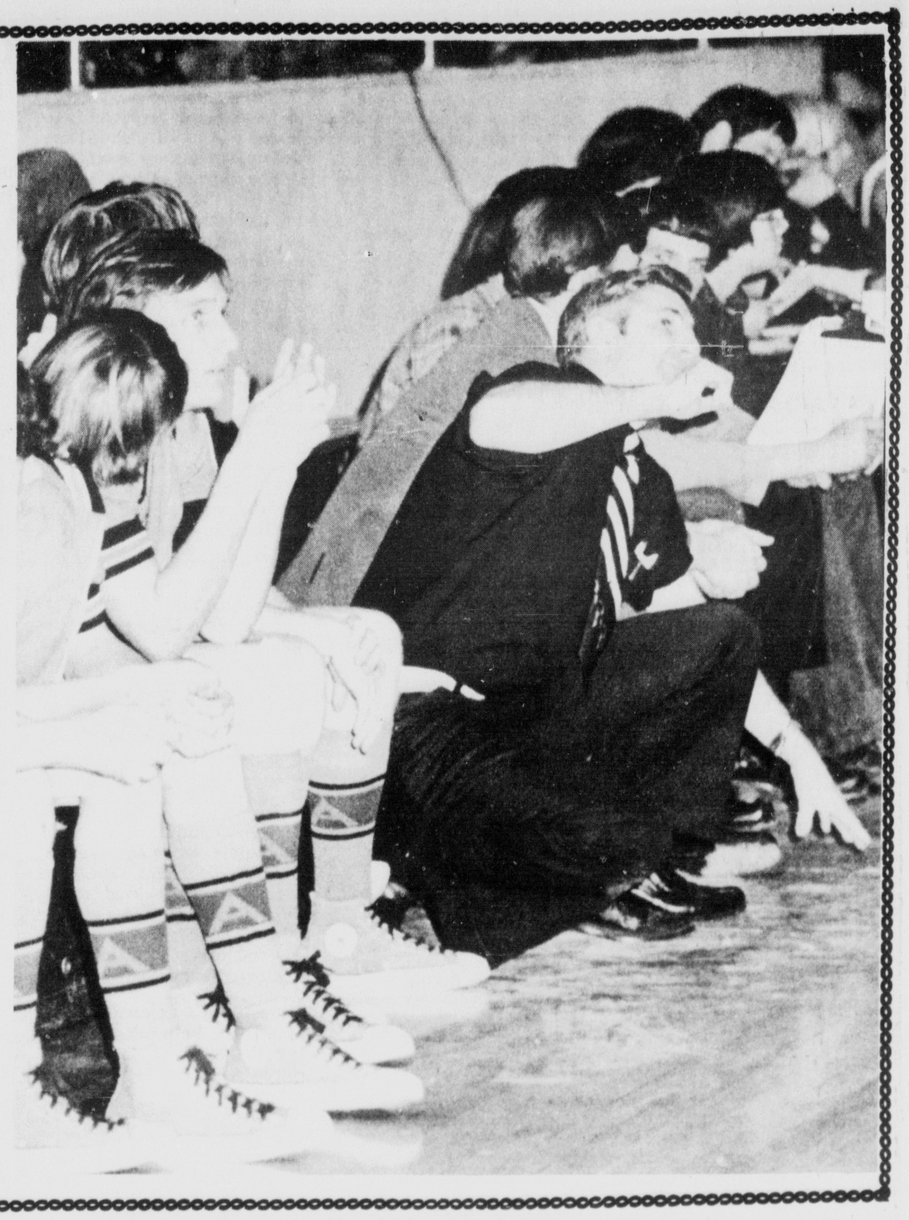
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Cookson at work

The Daily Standard's 1972 "Arnold Ryan memorial" coach of the year recipient, Carroll Cookson of Advance, is shown in action during the Bloomfield Christmas Tournament. Coach Cookson, who has led his AHS Hornets to the finals of the class S state tournament the past two seasons, is in a rebuilding season after returning only one starter from last seasons state runner-up team and has four players off his once beaten junior varsity unit filling the gaps. At left, coach Cookson hands out instructions to one of his players while in the right photo, he tries a little body "english" to assist the ball into the goal.



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Who's No. 1 in college ranks?

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Who's No. 1? To Ara Parseghian, there's no question about it — but Woody Hayes and Joe Paterno have other opinions.

"I will be disappointed if we are not No. 1," said Parseghian, whose Fighting Irish of Notre Dame won a 24-23 thriller from top-ranked Alabama in the Sugar Bowl New Year's Eve. "I think we deserve it."

"This is the greatest victory I've ever had, and the greatest for the school," said Hayes, who has been coaching Ohio State for 23 years, after the Buckeyes whipped Southern California 42-21 in the Rose Bowl Tuesday.

"I don't know who's No. 1," said Penn State Coach Paterno, whose Nittany Lions finished a 12-0 by beating Louisiana State 16-9 in the Orange Bowl Tuesday night. "This is the best team I've ever coached, and someone will have to beat us head-on to prove they're better."

In Tuesday's Cotton Bowl, Nebraska broke loose from a 33 halftime tie to upset eighthranked Texas 19-3.

"I definitely feel we're the national champion," said Parseghian, whose Fighting Irish were ranked No. 3 after a 10-0 regular season.

"We beat the leading scoring team in the nation and the team that was leading in offensive yardage. We beat a great football team — and they lost to a great football team."

The Associated Press' final poll will be released Thursday. In the last regular-season poll, the top six were Alabama, Oklahoma, Notre Dame, Ohio State, Michigan and Penn State. Oklahoma was ineligible for post-season competition, while Michigan, which tied Ohio State for the Big Ten championship, was passed over for a Rose Bowl bid in favor of the Buckeyes in a controversial vote of athletic directors.

The winning margin for Notre Dame was a combination of a missed extra point by Alabama's Brad Davis with 9:23 to play and a successful 19-yard field goal by Notre Dame's Bob Thomas with 4:26 to go.

The lead changed hands six times in the thriller. The outcome was in doubt until the closing seconds, when Notre Dame — backed to its own goal by a 69-yard punt by Alabama's Greg Gantt — came up with a daring 35-yard pass from Tom Clements to Robin Weber for a first down and was able to run out the clock.

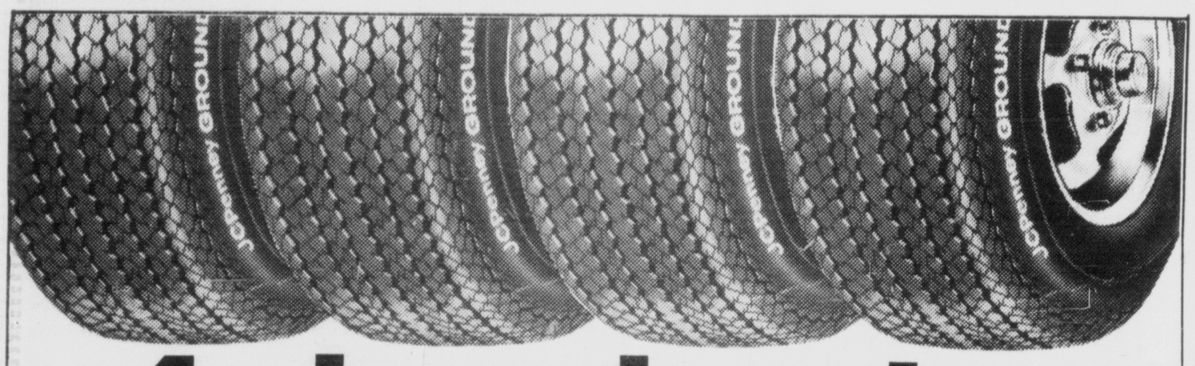
"I would have bet my life we were going to win after we had them back against the goalline," said Alabama Coach Bear Bryant. "I don't feel like we lost, rather that time ran out on us. We played as well as we could, but Notre Dame came up with the big plays when they needed them."

Ohio State got three touchdowns from freshman fullback Pete Johnson and 149 yards rushing — including a 47-yard touchdown — by Archie Griffin, but it was the surprising passing of quarterback Cornelius Greene that proved decisive.

The Ohio State performance brought an accolade from losing coach John McKay. "They are better than Oklahoma and Notre Dame," said McKay, whose Trojans tied Oklahoma and lost to Notre Dame in the regular season.

Two long plays in the second quarter provided unbeaten Penn State with its 12th victory of the year.

Cappelletti, the Heisman Trophy winner, was limited to 50 yards on 26 carries by LSU.



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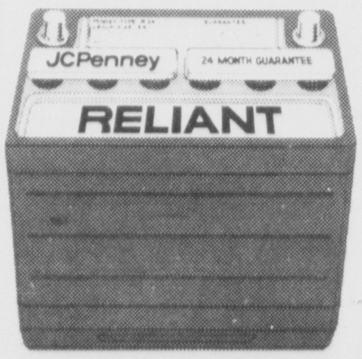
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UCLA unanimous

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

UCLA remained a unanimous choice for No. 1 but Notre Dame moved ahead of Maryland into the No. 2 spot in the Associated Press weekly college basketball poll released today.

The Bruins, 8-0, ran their record winning streak to 83 games with one-sided victories over Wyoming and Michigan over the weekend. They collected all 42 votes cast by a nationwide panel of sportswriters and broadcasters and had 840 points overall.

The Fighting Irish, 7-0, moved up from the No. 3 spot on the strength of a 94-79 victory over Kentucky. Notre Dame, which collected 646 points, will get two chances to unseat UCLA this month when the teams collide Jan. 19 in South Bend, Ind., and Jan. 26 in Los Angeles.

Maryland, 5-1 when the voting period ended after Saturday's games, dropped one notch to third despite breezing past Holy Cross 102-75. The Terps collected 633 points.

North Carolina, 6-0, held the fourth position with 603 points after bombing Biscayne 112-72. North Carolina State, 5-1, piled up 510 points and maintained the fifth spot with easy wins over Villanova and Memphis State.

Marquette, 9-0, held onto the No. 6 position by beating Arizona easily and slipping past Wisconsin 49-48 in overtime. Alabama, 6-1, vaulted from 13th to No. 7 by virtue of victories over South Carolina and Louisville.

Indiana dropped one notch to No. 8 after beating Brigham Young and Oregon and losing to Oregon State. The Hoosiers are 7-2. Long Beach State, with nine wins in 10 outings, jumped one place to No. 9 with triumphs over Assumption and Evansville.

Vanderbilt, 8-0 after thumping Vermont 91-56, rounded out the top ten. The Commodores were 11th last week.

Southern California, 9-1, moved up from 14th to 11th. New Mexico, 10-0, rose from 17th to 12th. Louisville, 7-2, fell from eighth to 13th. Providence, 8-2, dropped from ninth to 14th. Arizona, 8-2, and Nevada-Las Vegas, 9-1, tied for No. 15. The Wildcats were 12th last week and the Rebels were 10th.

Rounding out the top 20, in order, were Wisconsin, Memphis State, Syracuse and Austin Peay.

The Top Twenty, with firstplace votes in parentheses, season records and total points. Points tabulated on basis of 2018-16-14-12-10-9-8-7-6-5-4-3-2-1:

1. UCLA (42)	8-0	840
2. Notre Dame	7-0	646
3. Maryland	5-1	633
4. N. Carolina	6-0	603
5. N. C. St.	5-1	510
6. Marquette	9-0	470
7. Alabama	6-1	245
8. Indiana	7-2	238
9. Lng Bch St.	9-1	234
10. Vanderbilt	8-0	231
11. Southern Cal	9-1	217
12. New Mexico	10-0	176
13. Louisville	7-2	169
14. Providence	8-2	123
15. Arizona	8-2	65
tie Nev-L. Vegas	9-1	65
17. Wisconsin	7-1	30
18. Memphis St.	8-3	26
19. Syracuse	7-1	21
20. Austin Peay	5-1	18

Others receiving votes, listed alphabetically: Arizona St.; Clemson; Centenary; Davison; Detroit; Florida St.; Hawaii; Houston; Iowa St.; Kansas St.; Pitt; Purdue; St. John's, N.Y.; South Carolina; Temple, Tennessee, Tulsa, Utah, Washington.

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Bowl Lineup

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS
Dec. 31
Sugar Bowl
Notre Dame 24, Alabama 23

Jan. 1
Rose Bowl
at Pasadena, Calif.
Ohio State 42, Southern California 21
Cotton Bowl
at Dallas
Nebraska 17, Texas 3
Orange Bowl
at Miami
Penn State 16, Louisiana State 9

Jan 5
Hula Bowl
at Honolulu
East vs. West, 4:10 p.m. EST, ABC-TV.

Jan. 6
All-American Bowl
at Tampa, Fla.
North vs. South, 1:30 p.m., EDT, Mizlou TV.

Jan. 12
Senior Bowl
at Mobile, Ala.
North vs. South, 1 p.m., EDT, NBC-TV.

AP's top 20

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

How the Top 20 teams in The Associated Press college football poll fared in post-season play:

1. Alabama (11-1-0) lost to Notre Dame in Sugar Bowl 2423.
2. Oklahoma (10-0-1) did not play.
3. Notre Dame (11-0-0) beat Alabama in Sugar Bowl 24-23.
4. Ohio State (9-0-1) beat Southern California in Rose Bowl 42-21.
5. Michigan (10-0-1) did not play.
6. Penn State (12-0-0) beat Louisiana State in Orange Bowl 16-9.
7. Southern California (9-1-1) lost to Ohio State in Rose Bowl 42-21.
8. Texas (8-3-0) lost to Nebraska in Cotton Bowl 19-3.
9. UCLA (9-2-0) did not play.
10. Arizona State (11-0-1) beat Pittsburgh in Fiesta Bowl 28-7.
11. Texas Tech (11-0-1) beat Tennessee in Gator Bowl 28-19.
12. Nebraska (9-2-1) beat Texas in Cotton Bowl 19-3.
13. Louisiana State (9-3-0) lost to Penn State in Orange Bowl 16-9.
14. Houston (11-1-0) beat Tulane in Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl 47-7.
15. Miami, Ohio (11-0-0) beat Florida in Tangerine Bowl 16-7.
16. North Carolina State (9-30) beat Kansas in Liberty Bowl 31-18.
17. Tulane (9-3-0) lost to Houston in Astro-Bluebonnet Bowl 47-7.
18. Maryland (8-4-0) lost to Georgia in Peach Bowl 17-16.
19. Kansas (7-4-1) lost to North Carolina State in Liberty Bowl 31-18.
20. Tennessee (8-4-0) lost to Texas Tech in Gator Bowl 2819.

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JEFFERSON CITY — Wild turkeys aren't migratory birds, but some Missouri turkeys are likely to find themselves a long way from home before another year rolls around.

The Department of Conservation has started trapping operations on the big birds in order to make several releases in other parts of the state.

New releases, planned for 12 hens and six gobblers each, are scheduled for Henry County near Clinton in the Sough Grand River bottoms, near Waverly in Lafayette County in the Missouri River hills, and on the Dade- Lawrence County line on Turnback Creek.

Supplemental releases are planned to help existing populations of birds in Cape Girardeau County west of Dutchtown and in Perry County southeast of Crosstown.

In addition, there are a number of requests from other states for turkeys in exchange, generally, for ruffed grouse, a species which Missouri is trying to re- introduce.

So far there have been requests for turkeys from Minnesota, Wisconsin, Illinois, Texas and California. In some cases, the states don't have ruffed grouse, but there is a possibility of a three- way trade -- the state could trade something it has for grouse, then trade the grouse to Missouri for turkeys.

Some time back, Georgia wanted to swap Missouri some alligators for grouse. The offer was declined, politely, but with few regrets.

Turkey trapping operations generally will run through March -- close to the hunting season which normally comes in late April and early May.

The 1972-73 trapping season was the best in history because of a combination of two circumstances -- a lot of turkeys and an absence of "mast," the acorns and other nuts which provide much of a turkey's diet.

This lack of food made it easier to lure the birds under a cannon- net. Trappers got 274 birds, but all were not used in restocking operations because they didn't meet the age or sex qualifications. Those not used are banded and released at the trap site.



Department of Conservation turkey trappers are busy trying to bait enough of the wary birds to cannon net sites to satisfy requirements for several new restocking attempts in parts of the state that now have no birds or few birds. Trapping and restocking has resulted in the widespread revival of turkey populations in Missouri.

Over the years, trapping sites on the Clark and Mark Twain National Forests have contributed 42 per cent of Missouri's re- stocked birds. Conservation Department lands have accounted for 38 per cent, State Park Board land seven per cent and private land 13 per cent.

Most releases now are in areas which would have been considered either marginal or unsuitable a few years back, but Missouri's wild turkeys have proved themselves highly adaptable and have spread naturally into areas where the books once said they probably couldn't survive.

Supplemental releases are designed to give static or low level turkey populations a boost. The original estimate was that perhaps 60 counties could support wild turkeys -- but 63 were open to hunting last season, more will open next season and more yet have been stocked and are building turkey populations.

In 1952, just 20 years before the year of the highest trapping success, the Missouri wild turkey population reached its low ebb -- less than 2,500 turkeys remained. Hunters bagged 5,726 birds in the spring open season of 1973.

The key to the success of the turkey restoration program has been the use of wild birds as a seed stock-- hybrid or game farm birds failed miserably in early attempts -- plus the wholehearted cooperation and support of farmers and other landowners and sportsmen.

Introduction of pure wild stock, trapped in the wild, is the same system that worked for white- tailed deer and, hopefully, is the same system that will work for ruffed grouse.

In the case of grouse, Missouri doesn't have the native stock to work with and must rely on birds from other states. The problem further is complicated in that grouse are tougher to trap than either deer or turkeys, so it is harder to come by seed stock in any appreciable quantity.

But if the success of the wildturkey trapping program is any indicator, the next generation may include some grouse enthusiasts.

Travel to Mingo

By STUART McGHEE

With the expected fuel shortage coming into focus in southeast Missouri, area outdoorsmen will have to place a limit on where he may escape the people and traffic and still find nature undisturbed by man.

People in this area will have to turn to alternatives instead of vacationing in other states. One of these alternatives is the Mingo National Wildlife Refuge located near Puxico, Missouri.

Local hunters can tell you that this area has some of the best hunting and fishing in the state, but it also has much more to offer than just hunting and fishing.

Canoeing, hiking, photography, nature study, and simply observing wildlife in it's natural habitat are just some of the features available to the outdoorsman. One may hike through the bottomland hardwood forest or climb the limestone bluffs that were once the banks of the Mississippi river. For the sportsman that doesn't enjoy the limitless hiking available, a 25 mile self-guided automobile tour is open to the public on Sundays during the months of October and November.

Mingo's waterways are the perfect spot for canoeing, not only for fishing but for the enjoyment of seeing nature undisturbed along it's many creeks. Beavers are increasing in it's numbers along these waterways and their presence are indicated by bank dens and dams along these creeks.

Nature study groups are welcomed at Mingo throughout the year. Any organized group of 10 or more people may arrange for a conducted lecture tour any day of the week by contacting the refuge office in advance.

Should you choose hiking or canoeing try to bring a camera. The visitor will have an opportunity to see many animals and other views of nature that he may wish to keep whether it's a flock of geese or a beaver building a dam, a camera will best record that memory.

Parking areas have been built along the roads of the refuge along with picnic facilities for the visitors. A beautiful new visitor information center is being built on the bluff overlooking the bottomland that was once the channel of the Mississippi river. This center is scheduled to open late this spring.

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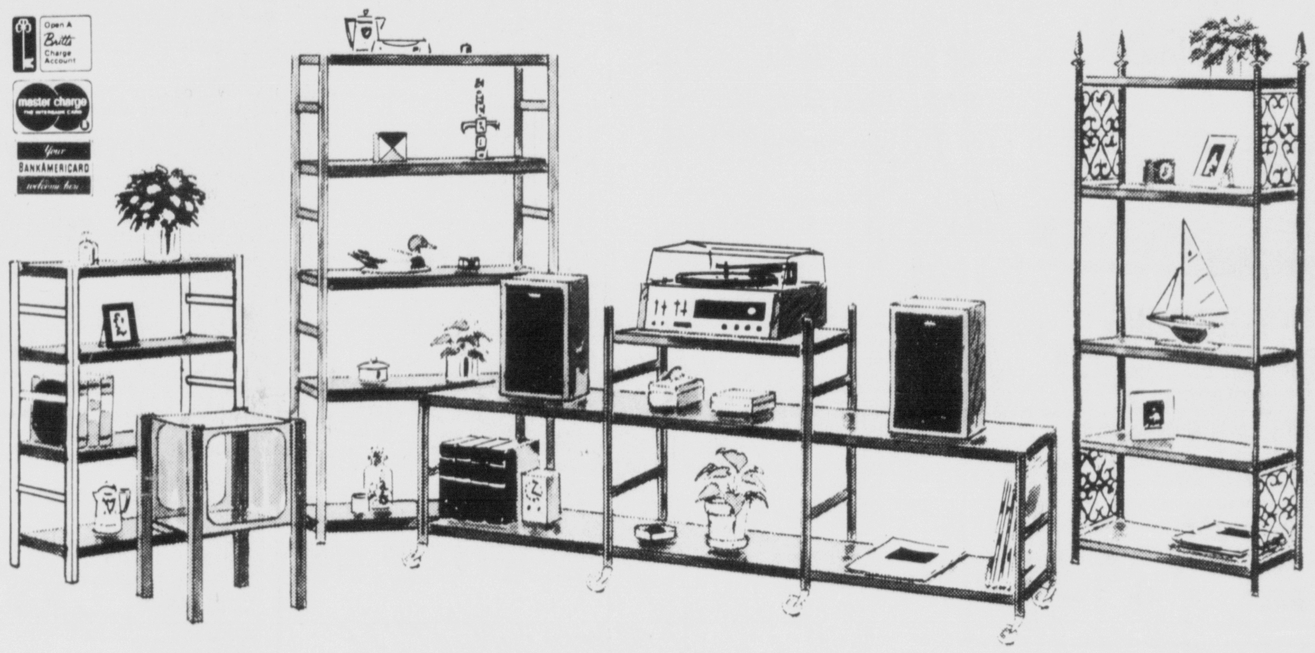


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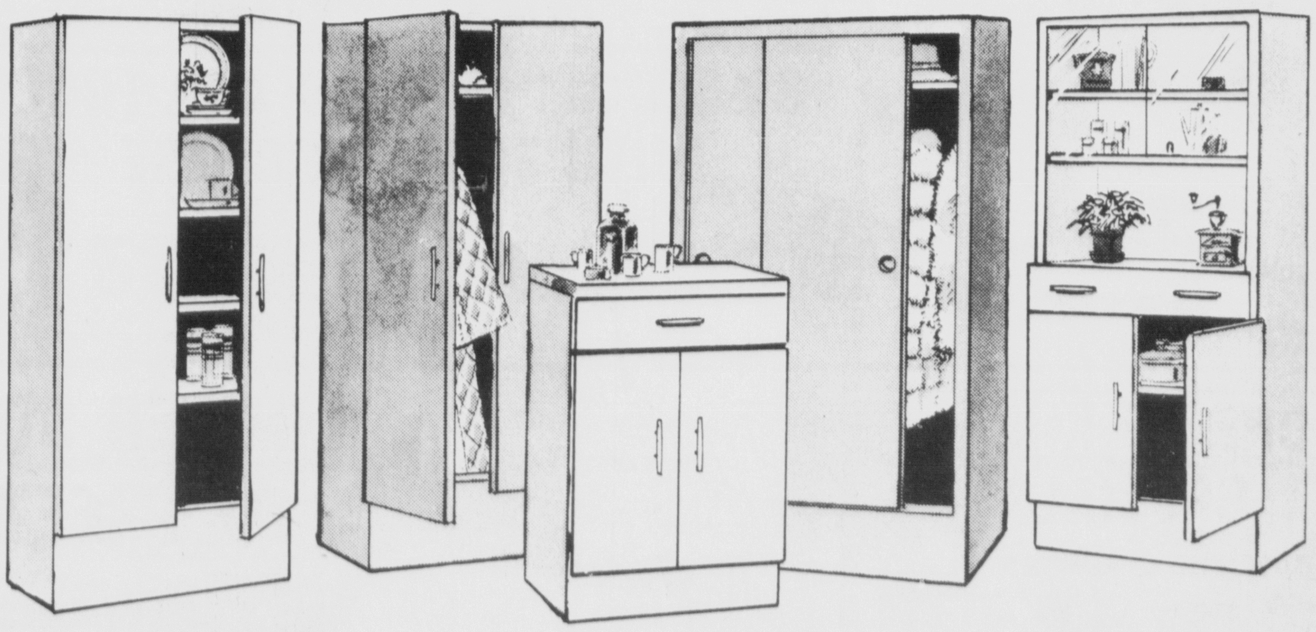
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Book Review

BILLY JACK
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124 pp.)

Avon has secured book rights to the screenplay version of BILLY JACK, one of the most popular movies of the time, and is rushing to stores and news stands a tie- in edition which coincides with the reopening of the film in New York and Los Angeles.

This phenomenal motion picture, which has grossed over $10,000,000 since it was first released two years ago, has played longer in more cities and towns than any other movie excepting THE SOUND OF MUSIC. In some cities it has played over a year in a single theater.

In a recent evaluation of the film in the New York Times, Vincent Canby said "BILLY JACK is saying something to somebody. That's clear enough."

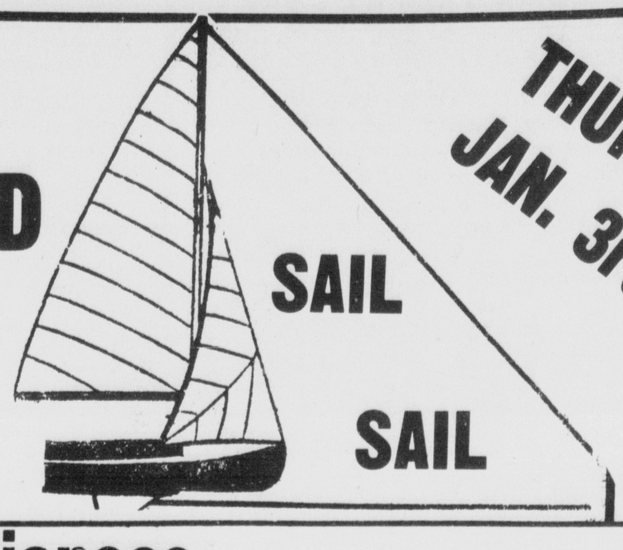
Rex Reed's review of the movie explains the appeal of this contemporary western about a half- breed and the bigotry and racism he confronts: "It is an honest, loving film that teaches peace through a way of life so meticulously detailed in the eye of its characters and situations that you want to get into the film and be a part of it . . . It accomplished what most movies dream about: it becomes life."

The screenplay was written by Frank and Teresa Christina.

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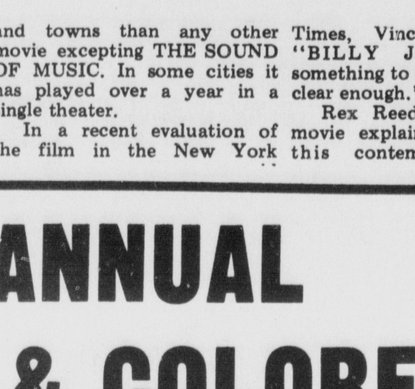
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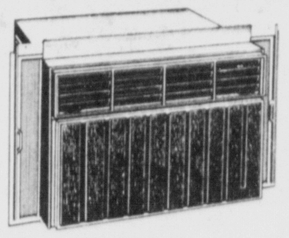
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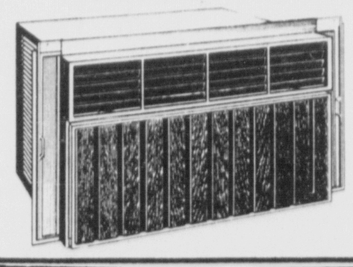
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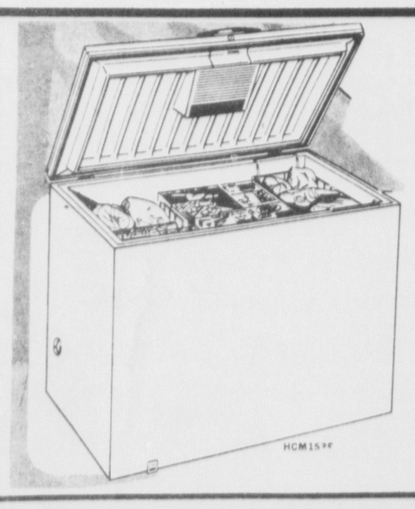
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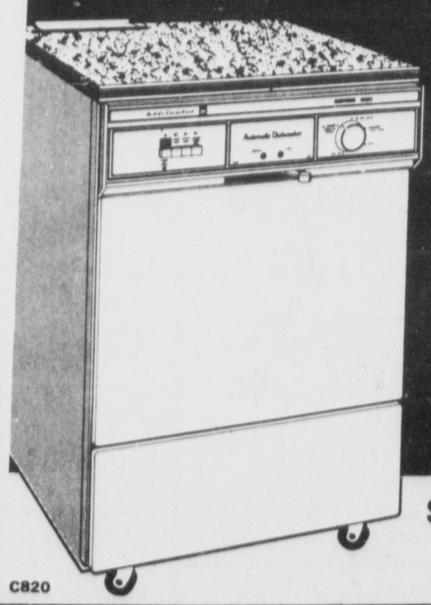
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Film focuses on Hitler's final days

Champagne and cyanide capsules marked the date April 29, 1945 in Adolph Hitler's Fuehrerbunker beneath the city of Berlin. While the world crumbled above them, Hitler married Eva Braun, his long-time mistress, in a hastily performed wedding ceremony.

The story unfolds in the movie, "Hitler: The Last 10 Days", which starts Friday at Malco Twin Cinema II in Midtowner Village Shopping Center.

In the presence of Joseph Goebbels, the fuehrer's propaganda minister, his wife Magda and Martin Bormann, the head of the Reichschancellery, Hitler married fraulein Braun.

At the wedding celebration, the members of Hitler's "inner circle" toasted the bride and groom with French champagne. The conversation soon turned from nuptial congratulations to talk of suicide since the fuehrer's gifts to the members of the wedding party were little boxes containing cyanide capsules to be used at the time the Russians entered the city of Berlin.

The bizarre wedding party would be followed within 24 hours by the double suicide of Hitler and his bride. The Russian army was only a few hundred yards away when Hitler shot himself through the head and Eva bit down on a cyanide capsule.

The others in the bunker, however, did not follow in their footsteps. Only Magda Goebbels died with her husband after they had supervised the murders of their five children who had been in the bunker with them.

''Hitler took the Goetterdammerung seriously," says Ennio de Concini, director of the Paramount Pictures release starring Sir Alec Guinness as Adolph Hitler.

The film focuses on the final hours of the Third Reich as played out in the vacuum world of the Fuehrerbunker beneath Berlin.

"Once he knew that the situation was hopeless, he was quite willing to have everybody die with him. Hitler felt the Germans had betrayed him, and they deserved to share his fate," de Concini added.



Sir Alec Guiness stars

Sir Alec Guinness, as Hitler, history's most infamous dictator, relaxes with his mistress Eva Braun, portrayed by Doris Kunstmann in Paramount Pictures' "Hitler: The Last Ten Days". The John Heyman presentation of a Wolfgang Reinhardt Production, co- starring Simon Ward, is a film drama based on the explosion- charged period in world history when Adolf Hitler's power crumbled around him. The movie opens Friday at Malco Twin Cinema II.

Ark-Mo holds awards banquet at Ramada Inn

"Let us focus our attention on one of the most crucial problems facing the company...increased cost of operation," stressed Frank G. Smith of Blytheville, Ark., president of Arkansas- Missouri Power Co. and Associated Natural Gas Co., at a recent awards banquet at Ramada Inn.

Employes who received service pins included: Mary B. Brown of Charleston, 15 years; James Odom of Sikeston, 10 years; and David M. Williams of Charleston, five years.

Others eligible for awards were Jesse Hoosier of Jackson, 20 years; Doris Bollinger of Jackson, 15 years; and Doris Grebe of Jackson, five years.

Smith told the assembled personnel that major factors contributing to the increased cost of operation included high wages, increased cost of equipment and supplies, increase in interest rates, costs of complying with federal and state standards and scarcity of fuels and their increased costs.

"The loss of revenue from the sale of natural gas coupled with the national emphasis to conserve electricity make it imperative that we take remedial steps to offset the loss of electric and gas rates," he said.

In conclusion, Smith predicted a stronger, more united America will emerge from the present crisis. "I have faith in our country, in the free enterprise system of business and in the employes of Ark-Mo and Associated," he remarked.

Guests from the company's home office at Blytheville were: Mrs. Floyd Wooldridge; vice president John Germain; administrative assistant D. F. Bateman; personnel director W. L. Lovelace; development counselor Bill Inman; and supervisor of advertising Charles E. Crews.



Receiving service pin

Mrs. Yvonne Odom pins on a 10- year service pin for her husband, James Odom of Sikeston, at an Arkansas- Missouri Power Co. and Associated Natural Gas Co. banquet recently at Ramada Inn.



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Eighteen accident patients were treated Monday and Tuesday in the emergency room at Missouri Delta Community Hospital.

Thirteen treated Monday were: Dianna Williams, 19, Sikeston, injured left ankle; Alex Couch, 20, East Prairie, bruised right knee at work; David Dillender, 12, Sikeston, injured left ankle in fall on ice; Karen Willard, 11, Key West, Fla., cut left side of forehead in fall.

Albert McCulley, 25, Sikeston, injured left leg at work; Griff Estes, 4, Matthews, cut left ear in fall; W. E. Hennington, 75, Sikeston, injured in car accident; Kenneth Stanberry, 24, Sikeston, cut right wrist in fall on ice; Marjorie Ledbetter, 10, Sikeston, cut left eyebrow in fall on ice.

Al Goodin, 10, Charleston, cut lip in fall; Mark Peel, 14, Sikeston, cut scalp in car accident; Jeannie Marcus, 28, Morehouse, second degree burns on left hand, burned with hot grease; and Nancy Kindle, 25, East Prairie, cut left knee in fall.

Five treated Tuesday were: Tammy A. Poole, 2, Sikeston, cut right leg; John T. Ward, 9, Sikeston, cut scalp in gall; Michelle Ivie, 4, Charleston, cut inside of mouth in fall; Kenneth Bost, 23, East Prairie, cut right thumb in fall; and Margie Tate, 36, Sikeston, sprained back in fall.

2 Bond, movies now at Malone

Now showing at Malone Theatre, 107 W. Malone Ave., are two James Bond thrillers, "Diamonds are Forever" and "On Her Majesty's Secret Service". Both movies are in color and rated G.

Beginning Sunday at the Malone will be "The Hammer of God", in color and rated R (restricted. Persons under 17 admitted only with parents' approval).

Playing at Mall Theatre in Kingsway Plaza Mall is "Westworld", starring Yul Brynner. The film is rated PG)parental guidance advised).

Now playing at Malco Twin Cinema I in Midtowner Village Shopping Center is "Executive Action", starring Burt Lancaster and Robert Ryan. The movie is rated PG.

"Bang the Drum Slowly", starring Michael Moriarty and rated PG, is now showing at Malco Twin Cinena II. "Hitler: The Last Ten Days", starring Alec Guiness begins Friday at Twin Cinema II.

Spitzmiller named on dean's list

ATLANTA, Ga. — Gene W. Spitzmiller of Sikeston, Mo., was on the dean's list for the fall quarter at Georgia Institute of Technology, according to a letter from the registrar's office.

Students with a 3.0 or above grade point average on a 4.0 scale are eligible for the scholastic honor.

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The Annual Meeting of the Shareholders of the Sikeston Industrial Development Company will be held Wednesday, January 9, 1974, 7:30 p.m. at the City Administrative Building, 215 N. New Madrid, for the purpose of electing directors and transaction of business of the corporation.

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TRUSTEE'S SALE

WHEREAS, Charles E. Mills, a single person, by a certain Deed of Trust dated the 6 day of September, 1972, and recorded in the office of the Recorder of Deeds for the County of Scott and the State of Missouri, in Book 183, Page 381, conveyed to the undersigned Trustee the following described real estate situated in the County of Scott and State of Missouri, to wit:

Tract 22 of Hunt's 2nd Subdivision of Lot Numbered Sixteen (16) of Sunset Subdivision, to the City of Sikeston, Scott County, Missouri.

Which conveyance was made to the undersigned in trust to secure the payment of a certain Promissory Note in said Deed specified; and

WHEREAS, said note is now past due and remains unpaid default having been made in the payment of said note.

NOW, THEREFORE, at the request of the legal holder of said Note and in pursuance of the conditions of said Deed of Trust, the undersigned Trustee will sell the property above described at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash at the Main Front door of the Circuit Court House in the City of Benton, Scott County, Missouri, on January 15, 1974, between the hours of 9:00 A.M., and 5:00 P.M., for the purpose of satisfying said indebtedness and the cost of executing this trust.

Roberts T. Williams,
Trustee

252 - 258- 264- 270

NOTICE OF LETTERS TESTAMENTARY GRANTED
(Sec. 473.033, RSMo. as amended 1969.)

STATE OF MISSOURI)
SS.)
COUNTY OF SCOTT)

IN THE PROBATE COURT OF SCOTT COUNTY, MISSOURI AT BENTON, MISSOURI

In the estate of)
Cora May Harper) deceased)
Estate No. 4234

To all persons interested in the estate of Cora May Harper, decedent:

On the 26th day of November, 1973, the last Will of Cora May Harper was admitted to probate and Glenn C. Harper was appointed the executor of the estate of Cora May Harper decedent, by the probate court of Scott, County, Missouri, on the 26th day of November, 1973. The business address of the executor is 618 Daniel Street, Sikeston, Missouri, whose telephone number is 471-1287 and his attorney is David E. Blanton of Blanton, Blanton, Rice and Sickal whose business address is 219 S. Kingshighway, Sikeston, Missouri, and whose telephone number is 471-1000.

All creditors of said decedent are notified to file claims in court within six months from the date of this notice or be forever barred.

All persons interested are notified that such court, at the times and as provided by law, will determine the persons who are the successors in interest to the personal and real property of the decedent and of the extent and character of their interests therein.

*Date of first publication is November 28, 1973.

(SEAL)

Almaretta Huber
Clerk
Probate Court of
Scott County,
Missouri

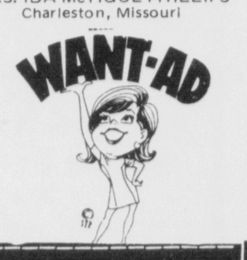
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POLITICAL ANNOUNCEMENTS

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE
MISSISSIPPI COUNTY
COLLECTOR
MARY JEAN SIMMONS
Charleston, Mo.

DEMOCRATIC CANDIDATE
MISSISSIPPI COUNTY
CIRCUIT CLERK & EX-OFFICIO
RECORDER OF DEEDS
MRS. IDA McTIGUE PHILLIPS
Charleston, Missouri



2. Card of Thanks

We wish to extend our sincere thanks and appreciation for the kindness and sympathy shown us during the illness and death of our dear husband and father, John T. Kidd. We especially thank the Rev. Don Cooper and Rev. Doyle Corlew for their consoling words, those who sent flowers and food, the pallbearers and all others who helped in any way.

Myrna Kidd wife, children
Dawn Ann Tanner, Troy Dee Kidd, Linday Kay Kidd

7. Apartments - Furn.

For Rent — Furnished apartment. $100 monthly, no children or pets. 471-5755 after 5.

3 room furnished apt. All private. Adults.
471- 4061

1 bedroom apartment. Adults. No pets. Phone 471-2392

Apartment for rent. Furnished $118.50 Unfurnished $108.50 Brick Duplex apartments - air conditioned & Fully carpeted rooms, easy access. Water & maintenance free. Call Bob McCord. 471-8390.

5 room house with basement. Centrally located. Adults only. Shown by appointment. Call 8:00 a.m. to 1:00 p.m. 471-3317

2 bedroom furnished apartment, carpeted, adults only, $125 per month. Call 472-0764

Furnished apartments, utilities paid. Adults. 471-9942.

Furnished apartments with utilities Phone 472-0854 or 471-5470.

8. Apartments - Unfurn.

1 [illegible] apt., newly decorated, central air & heat, fully carpeted, garage, exc. location, shown by appointment. Call 471-1954

RAMADA PARTS
1 & 2 BEDROOM
Furnished or Unfurnished
Equipped kitchen, laundry facilities. Swimming pool.
Elect. Air & heat.
471-7727

2 bedroom townhouse 416 Lake St. Call 471-5400 or 471-0324

9. House For Rent

For rent — 2 bedroom house for rent. $80 monthly 471-8391

For Rent — 7 room house - bath with shower - central heat - full size basement, close to shopping center and downtown. Newly decorated - nice yard $135.00 Phone 471-5585

Modern 5 room furnished house 471-4095. Call after 6:00

For Rent — 2 bedroom house, carpet, drapes, carport, window air conditioner $130.00 per mo. 471-8455 - 472-0779

Four room house for rent. Kitchen furnished $40.00. 667-5757

For Rent — 2 bedroom house unfurnished $80 month. Call 471-3274

For Rent
5 room house
Call 471- 1751

For Rent — 4 room unfurnished house. $70 monthly 471-0868

3 br. frame house for rent. 471-3635 or 471-7344

10. Furnished Houses

For Rent — Newly decorated 2 bedroom house. Call 472-0484 after 6 p.m.

11A. Mobile Homes For Rent

Mobile Home for rent. 471-3450

2 bedroom Very nice on Harry St. 471-4061 or 471-2156

For Rent — 2 bedroom mobile home 472-0282

11. Misc. For Rent

For rent — Desk space in office available with answering service. Please call 471-9211.

13. Real Estate

For Sale — 2 lots close to Miner, good location for home or mobile home. 471-1414.

1170 acres. 30 miles north Cairo, Ill.

950 acres production. Bottom Rest pasture. 1/2 mile east of W. Vienna.

644 acres 2 sets good buildings all Ohio river bottom 5 miles Paducah, Ky. in Ill.

350 acres corn & bean land, near Pinkneyville, Ill.

140 acres on black top road. Mixed land. Scott Co. $500 per acre.

326 acres on Hwy 77 east of Benton. Will sub divide $500 per acre.

Some land in Southern Illinois for cash rent.

W. J. McMikle
224 Kramer Dr.
Sikeston, Mo.
472- 0564

For Sale — Nice 2 bedroom home in Morehouse. Paneled living room & kitchen. Aluminum siding, storm windows & doors. Washer dryer hookup on paneled back porch. Good location. 667-5613

For Sale, two and three bedroom homes. Ph. 624-5671 or 624-2278 Dexter, Mo.

500 Acres - Scott Co. limed & fertilized. 400 A. wheat sowed - irrigation system.
545 Acres Scott Co. - 5 wells - approx. 1800 ft. pipe, pump & boom.
J. R. James
471-9490 or 471-2718 evenings

For Sale — Home in Town and Country Acres. Call 471-5579 after 5 p.m.

For Sale — 2 bedroom house, fully carpeted, drapes, new gas cook stove, window air conditioner, assume loan after small down payment. 472-0779 - 471-8455.

FOR SALE or RENT
4 large rooms
2 B.R. Large L. R.

Eat in Kitchen
Bath
Utility Room
Windowed in Back Porch
75 x 100 Lot
Phone 471- 5592
7 Mile N. W. Sikeston on Tanner Road

12. Misc. For Sale

Forklifts for sale or rent. 471-5812
Mike Eakins

Railroad ties for sale.
Call 472- 0346

DRAPERIES MADE FREE
When you purchase your material from our wide selection of choice colors, patterns and weaves.
P.N. Hirsch & Co.

TRAVEL TRAILER
For Sale: 1967 Model 24 ft. long with tandem axle. Self contained or park hook-up. Air cond. A bargain at $2400. Call after 6:00 p.m. Jerry Freshour 471-2923 or Jack Bewley 472-0596

For Sale — Antique white up-right (Leeland) Piano with bench. $125. 471-6054.

New & Used Air Compressors
HALFORD RADIATOR SERVICE 471-4014

Fireplace Wood — Oak - Hickory. Nails Wood Yard, Benton, Mo. 545-3201

For Sale — Used furniture and appliances. Country Store Bldg. Blodgett, Mo. 471-5344.

Cold? Be cozy & warm with our fireplace wood. 667-5872 or 683-4362

For Sale — 1 set stock racks for short wheel base pick up truck. Call 471-2679

Brand new Goodyear Snow & mud tires - F78x15 White walls $20.00 Plus tax.
Goodyear Tire Center
Midtowner Villaage
Sikeston, Mo.

For sale or trade for good 2 wheel trailer. 65000 B.T.U. Warm morning gas heater.
471- 4638

We buy, sell & trade guns. New Used & antique. 700 in stock. Advance Sporting Goods. 63730. Phone 314-722-3310 O. L. Davis owner.

Aluminum Siding
Also Kaiser - Alcoa $34.80 per 100 sq. ft. Steel & vinyl $45.69 per 100 sq. ft.
G. & F. BUILDERS
471-1649 108 Southwest

Oak fireplace wood. Delivered 471-0964, 471-0823.

Tell City Furniture, America's finest in Early American solid maple. Economy Furniture. 209 W. Commercial, Charleston. 683-6733.

12A Musical Instru.

PIANOS AND Organs, Baldwin and Wurlitizer. Finest quality at reasonable prices and terms. Rental plan available. Keith Collins Piano Company, 98 North Kinghighway. Phone 471-4531.

12a-9-24-tf

14. Situations Wanted

Want Babysitting in my home - Phone 471-9157

15. Wanted To Rent

Wanted to Rent — Nice 1 bedroom apt. or duplex. Call 471-7491 after 5 p.m.

Wanted to Rent — 2 bedroom, unfurnished. Limit $50 per mo. Soc. Sec. couple, no pets, no kids, Fixer up Write Baker Box 78, Bernie, Mo. 63822

18. Help Wanted

Salesman: Experience in sales - credit - collection - hiring - wholesale & retail. Would like a job in this area. For more information Call 262-3928

Babysitter from 8:30 to 5:30 — Monday through Friday - come to my home - have two children - one and four years. Phone 471 1096 - or 471-1944

WANTED
Bus driver applicants. Contact Superintendents office Scott Central High School for details.
472-0551.

WANTED
HIGHSCHOOL GRADS
Thinking ahead to what you'll do after graduation? How about having a job waiting for you? We start you at $326.10 a month. The Army's Delayed Entry Program gives you the opportunity to pick a job specialty now in a location you prefer, stay at home for up to 180 days to finish high school and then begin a career that could take you around the world. For more information, call 471-8870.

Assistant controler for local manufacturing firm. Degree experienced preferred, but not necessary. Must be willing to accept responsibility - benefits packaged. Apply in person at Caproco Inc. or send resume to P. O. Box 748 Sikeston, Mo.

Wanted — Responsible woman for full time housekeeping and assist with patient care. May live in, good salary. Need Jan. 2. Call 264-4788 after 5 p.m., Illmo, Mo.

Wanted
Steam Crane Operator. Steady work. State age, qualifications, mail to Box 433, Cairo, Ill. 62914.

MANAGER TRAINEE
Management position, can be yours after 6 mos. specialized training. Earn $15,000 to $35,000 yearly in management. We will send you to school for 2 weeks, expenses paid, train you in the field, selling and servicing established accounts. 21 or over, have car, bondable, ambitious and sports minded. Hospitalization and pension plan. Call for appointment.
Larry Weber.
Jan. 2 & 3
9 A.M. to 6 P.M.
314-334-7151
Long Distance, Call Collect, Mo. Residents only.

Experienced waitress wanted. Come in to fill out application. Grecian Steak House

Tractor and Trailer Driver- Must met D.O.T. Requirements. Must have over the road experience in refrigerated trucking. Call 314-688-9797

HELP WANTED
Also breakfast cook
Evening shift 3 p.m. to 10 p.m. apply in person. No phone calls please.
COLEMANS BAR-B-Q
1609 E. Malone. Sikeston, Mo.

Wanted Experienced Cutter. Apply in person Alfred Werber Inc. 711 Riley, New Madrid, Mo. or Call 748-5561

Wanted — Debit Agent to service Charleston. Send resume to 163 Presnell Dr. Sikeston, Mo. Call 472-0889 after 5 p.m. Immediate Opening.

19 — CHILD CARE

Wanted — To do babysitting in my home. Phone 471-6770.

20. Lost & Found

LOST
10 kt. gold ring black onyx diamond inset. Vicinity of Mall. 472- 0447. Reward offered 472-0447

LOST
Small black dog. White forehead, tipped tail, all white feet. Lost around Coleman Barbeque. Reward. Call 471-2921

24. Special Services

Electrical Work. Residential or Commercial. Small home repairs. 472-0041

Big Red Auto Parts. ¼ mile south on AA in Miner. 471-8040.

Roofing
Roof repair, painting, concrete patios, Cash & terms, Hawkins Bros. 471-2666

Will do small carpenter job.
471- 8083

Painting — Interior — Exterior. Reasonable. 667-5055.

Byrd Auto Salvage
2 Miles E of Benton
471-6194 545-3877

TIBB'S AUTO BODY REPAIR
667-5159
2 Miles South Morehouse

D & D Tree Trimming 472-0550. Discount Fireplace Wood.

PHOTOGRAPHY — Best in Weddings and Commercial photography. Call Tim Ludwig 471-7669 after 4:00 p.m.

Painting, dry wall, roofing & tree service - Cochran's Phone 667-5222

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& TAXES
Jolene Tyrone
409 Edmondson

Complete Moving Service
ARMOUR
Moving and Storage
Local and long distance moving. For free estimates call 471-4039 day or night. Agent for Von Der Ahe Van Lines.

WELL DRILLING
Also pump service and repairs. Ask us about our rust proof, plastic wells.
BRASWELL ELECT. & WATER SERVICE
471-4739

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Glenn Marshall Motors Inc.
Hiway 61-NewMadrid
Phone 748-2512

Front End Alignment - Spin Balance
B & K AUTO REPAIR
General Repair & Service
Ph. 471- 3990
719 S. Frisco St.
24 Hr. Emergency Ser.
Sikeston, Mo. 63801
Owned & Operated by
Ken Caudle

Roofing & repair. Minor Home repairs. 471-2666.

26. Pets

For Sale — Registered Male Collie Beautiful black & white. 1½ yrs. 688-2726 Lilbourn

Registered toy Pekingese, Peke-a-poo and poodle puppies, Ralph Henson, Illmo, Mo. 264-4678.

AKC Old English Sheep Dog puppies. 866-2795 Sedtewickville, Mo.

For Sale — AKC Collies, 1 male, 1 female. 243-8309

For Sale— AKC Collies, 1 male 1 female male pup. 243-8309

Poodles groomed — $8.00 each. Verla Shaw. 667-5872

28. New & Used Cars

For Sale
1972 Chevy cheyene pick- up power brakes & steering.
Call 471- 8296

1966 Cadillac 4 dr. Sedan Deville, regular gas, good condition. Phone 471-5636 or 471-3929

For Sale — Company Car. 1972 Buick La Sabre. 80,000 Hwy. Miles. Regularly serviced. All power, cruise control. 471-5382 between 8 a.m. and 5 p.m.

66 Chrysler, Bad engine, $95.00. 405 S. Prairie, Rear.

For Sale — 1964 Dodge Dart 2 dr. 6 cyl. - Std. Trans. Runs good - new paint $250.00 Ph. 471-1987 after 6 p.m.

1965 MG Midget. New brakes. $475.00 471-2730

For Sale — '73 4 Dr. Green & white Chevy Nova. Low mileage. Call 471-7062 or 471-3581

1967 Ford Fairlane 500, Small motor, easy on gas. Call 668-2025

30. Farm Supplies

Wanted — Complete engine for 340 International tractor. 727-5593. St. Louis

34. Mobile Homes

For Sale — Like new 2 bedroom mobile home. Walking distance downtown Sikeston, 471-7575 days, 471-6132 nights.

1963 Embasy 12x54 Tilt out living room.

12x55 Windsor 1966 Model. Tilt out in living room.

1968 Ramada. 12x48.

1970 12x60 Town & Country 2 B.R. 2 full baths.

12 Wide Repo. $87.91 per month. Pick up payments.

12X51 Winston. Take up payments.

Take over payments on 1972 12x60 2 bedroom, washer, dryer, central air, color T.V. $85.00 per month.
Galemore Mobile Homes
157 & Hwy 62
Charleston, Mo.

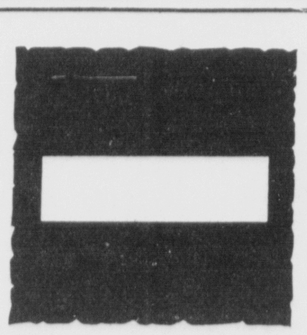
For Sale — Mobile home, take over payments. 2 bedroom, glass sliding doors. 12x54. 471-1017 or 471-2575

1973 Repo.
2 bedroom, washer & dryer. Assume payments of $78.38 per month. Brewer Mobile Homes. 471-7390.

12x60 2 bedroom mobile home. Assume payments good condition, storm windows & doors & shutters. Central heat. Central air & underpinning. 4 tie downs ready to move in. Call 471-2679

1972 Artcraft Mobile Home, 60x12 Front living room, 2 bedroom, good condition. See McDougal Mobile Homes.

Assume payments on 1972 60x12 Northern built mobile home 2 bedrooms, washer & dryer, ice maker. Call McDougal Mobile Homes. 471-5636



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FROM YOUR BILLS
with a Personal Bill Payer Loan. We'll pay off all your bills and then, one small monthly payment to us at low interest will repay it and you'll have money left over.

DELTA LOAN & FINANCE
W. MALONE ——SIKESTON——471-2077

FARM SALE

I am renting my farm and plan to retire, I will sell at public auction the following described personal property.

LOCATION

To my farm go 3 miles east of Campbell, Mo. on Highway 62 to airport then 1 mile due north, or south on 62 Highway from Malden, Mo. to Campbell airport then 1 mile north on gravel road.

SATURDAY, JAN. 5, 1974

10:00 A.M. RAIN OR SHINE

1—IHC 1066 Diesel tractor 3 point hitch - with wheel and front end weights TA-PTO wide front
1—IHC 314' cotton picker - mounted on completely overhauled Super M tractor (very clean)
1—IHC 6 row planter (186 planting unit) with fertilizer & hilldrop attachments, hydraulic markers pre-emerge equipment, 3 pt. hook up
1—IHC - No. 63 rear mount cultivator - 6 row
1—IHC 6 row rotary hoe 3 pt.
1—IHC No. 55 Chisel plow - 11 tooth 3 pt.
2—Electric wheel trailers - 24' steel cotton beds
1—Kewanee trailer 24' steel cotton bed
1—IHC No. 512 breaking plow - 14" bottom, 3 point hitch
1100 lb. Stone 213 cotton seed registered and treated
1—IHC No. 37 wheel disc harrow
1—IHC No. 10 grain drill - 18 hole
1—IHC No. 340 fold up, spring tooth harrow, 21'
2—90 gallon spray tanks with rack and booms
1—150 gal. spray tank with rack
1—Side winder ditcher (like new)
1—John Deere Killifer 10 ft. dirt mover
1—John Deere No. 77 stalk shredder
1—Steel grain bed
1—Eversman land leveler 40 ft.
1—W&A six row do-all
1—Burch wheel disc
1—IHC-four section drag harrow
1—Old spring tooth harrow
1—300 gallon water tank
4—IHC Hydraulic cylinders with steele braid hose
1—Small air compressor
1—Craftsman rotary garden tiller (Like new)
1—Buggy top umbrella
1—Double set rear wheels IHC
Items too numerous to mention

All of the above equipment was used on Mr. Felker's farm by him. It is some of the best cared for equipment you have seen. Mr. Felker is letting some of his neighbors bring equipment to this sale, so there will be some good equipment other than above listing.

RUSSELL FELKER—Owner

TERMS CASH TERMS CASH

BECK & McCORD AUCTION CO.

SIKESTON, MO. PHONE 314-471-4672
P. O. BOX 826

IMMEDIATE OPPORTUNITY

Werrerau, Inc. of Scott City, Mo. has an opening for an exp. mechanic. Interested persons must have ability to perform complete overhaul on diesel engines. Must have the knowledge to trace electrical wiring and repair wiring on trailers. Ability to perform brate work and other mechanical duties. Some knowledge of Thermo-King Refrigeration helpful.

Forty hour week. Evening shift available. Exc. starting salary and company benefits.

If you are interested and qualified, apply in person to:

Personnel Department
Wetterau, Incorporated
Scott City, Mo. 63788

Equal Opportunity Employer
M - F

FARM AUCTION

SATURDAY JAN.5, 1974

RAIN OR SHINE LUNCH SERVED

10:00 A.M.

Go north from Essex on FF-½ mile & west on blacktop NN 2 miles, turn right on gravel road, go north 1 mile and turn right. Watch for sale sign.

REASON FOR SALE — ILL HEALTH

JOHN T. KIDD—Owner

PHONE 314-624-3071 BLOOMFIELD, MO.

ROUTE 3

TRUCKS & TRAILERS
1—1964 Ford 10 wheel train truck - good tires, good all over
1—1963 Chev. pickup 3/4 t.
1—1954 Chevy 2 ton grain truck
1—4 wheel grain trailer steel bed
1—5 bale cotton trailer - John Deere running gear
1—6 bale cotton trailer - John Deere running gear
1—Irrigating trailer
1—2 wheel trailer
1—Home made 4 wheel trailer

EQUIPMENT
1—4 row Liston rolling cultivator
1—JD-KWA disc 21 ft. wing disc
1—12 ft. 3 pt. chisel plow gage wheels
1—4 row cultimusher
1—Eversman land plane
1—3 pt. 4 bottom John Deere plow
1—3 Pt. fold up field cultivator - 18 feet wide
1—3 pt. Ford rotary cutter
1—John Deere 16 hole wheat drill
1—3 pt. International cultivator - late model
1—John Deere 12 ft. wheel disc
1—International 12 ft. wheel disc. seal bearing
1—Lot of cross ties
1—4 row oiling bar
1—John Deere 3 pt. 414 plow
1—International two row hoe
1—John Deere cultivator for 4020 front mount
1—John Deere 3 pt. 6 ft. mower
1—John Deere 3 pt. 4 row planter
1—Allis Chalmer 3 bottom plow 3 pt.
1—John Deere cultivator 4 row - for parts
1—10 ft. Ezee flow
1—Brower hog feeder
1—Allis Chalmer 4 row pull type planter with premerge
1—premerge rig
1—John Deere 12 ft. fertilizer spreader
1—4 row spray rig

TRACTORS
1—John Deere 4020 Diesel, wide front, 3 pt. all weights
1—John Deere 4020 Diesel, wide front, 3 pt. all weights, big tires in front.
1—630 John Deere under cotton picker - clean
1—403 International combine with 14 ft. header with love bar, cab, chopper - all extra
1—WD 45 Allis Chalmer tractor

IRRIGATION EQUIPMENT
1—Garman Rupp pump
1—Plug
1—90 elbo
1—45 elbow
1—Drop down
1—¼ mile of pipe 8 in.

SHOP EQUIPMENT
1—Black & Decker drill
1—Century air compressor
1—Lincoln welder - 225 amps
1—Salamander
1—LP Tank
1—Anvil
1—Big grease gun
1—3 pt. ditcher
1—Set ¾" drive socket set w/power handle
1—Garden mark tiller
1—Lot electric fence wire & post
1—Chain saw
2—Warmers for 4020 John Deere
1—Electric gas pump
3—John Deere cylinder
1—Water tank
1—250 gallon tank
1—Hog waterer

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PHONE 314-471-7270 & 471-3450
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We Charge 3% - Not 5% & 6% like our Competitors do. We pay everything.

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"My constituents are talking about something called 'ethics'! Find out what they are and pencil a few into my next image!"

CARNIVAL — by Dick Turner



"Yeah, we got rules to save energy, too! Don't leave lights on. . .turn off the TV. . .push your own toothbrush!"

OUT OUR WAY — by Neg Cochran



THE FAMILY CIRCUS — By Bil Keane



"Do ! HAFTA wear it to school? Everybody'll say, 'Ha, Ha, I know what you got for Christmas!'"

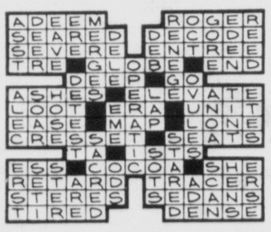


"YOU HAVE JUST TWO MINUTES TO GET IN THE KITCHEN AND HELP WITH THE DISHES. THIS IS THE FINAL WARNING ! "



London

Answer to Previous Puzzle



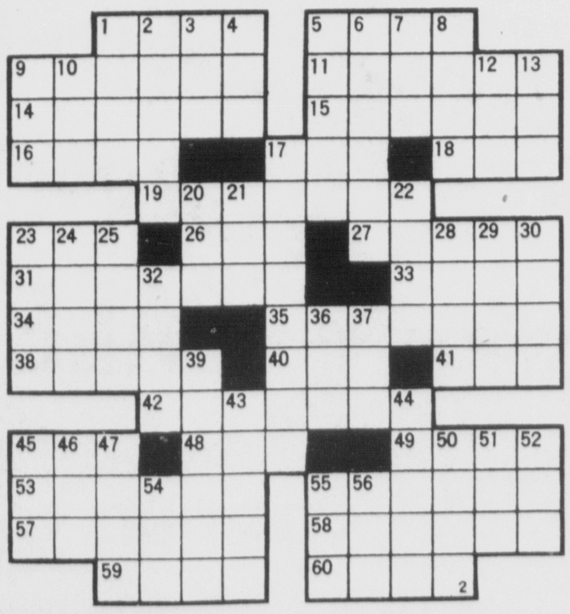
ACROSS

1 London district
5 Hyde —
9 Thrash (2 wds.)
11 Exhibit
14 Select groups
15 Body of Roman soldiers
16 Egyptian river
17 Thrice (comb. form)
18 Little child
19 Most opulent
23 Exclamation of surprise
26 Expire
27 Planet
31 Most crimson
33 13 (Roman)
34 Range
35 Revolved around
38 House of — —
40 Chinese dynasty
41 Exist
42 Chooses
45 Turkish title
48 Ventilate
49 Polynesian cloth
53 Buckingham —
55 London river
57 Spanish region
58 Roman soothsayers
59 Tiers
60 Heavy blow

DOWN

1 Move across water
2 Dark brown fur
3 Color
4 Roman goddess of harvest
5 Martinique volcano
6 Opposed to
7 Equip
8 Contract into wrinkles
9 Big — —
10 Samuel's teacher (Bib.)
12 Dovecote
13 Adjectival suffix
17 — — — of London
20 Cyprinoid fish
21 On this side (comb. form)
22 Public vehicle
23 Verbal
24 Brave individual
25 European river
28 Feminine appellation
29 Row
30 Conceal
32 Members of families (coll.)
36 Record (ab.)
37 Small quantity
39 Manatee (2 wds.)
43 Legal claims
44 Theater feature
45 Brazilian tree
46 Pikelike fish
47 Winged
50 River in Siberia
51 For each
52 Beast of burden
54 Time passed
55 Chinese "way"
56 Attila's subject

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STAR GAZER

By CLAY R. POLLAN

Your Daily Activity Guide According to the Stars.

To develop message for Thursday, read words corresponding to numbers of your Zodiac birth sign.

1 Be	31 To	61 To
2 Best	32 Please	62 Under
3 Fine	33 Or	63 Or
4 Go	34 Business	64 Mate
5 Sure	35 Spending	65 Simple
6 For	36 A	66 Sporting
7 New	37 Rival	67 Remedies
8 It's	38 Indicated	68 Want
9 Seeing	39 Or	69 Your
10 Contacts	40 Afternoon	70 Make
11 Wait	41 Emotions	71 Shines
12 In	42 Must	72 Radiantly
13 Until	43 To	73 Events
14 Out	44 For	74 Hat
15 Romance	45 Your	75 Then
16 Of	46 Be	76 An
17 Tendency	47 Keep	77 Admire
18 Toward	48 Visits	78 Your
19 Excessive	49 Things	79 Important
20 Smile	50 Pessimistic	80 And
21 What	51 Today's	81 Upset
22 Your	52 Friends	82 Rest
23 Conceal	53 Ailments	83 Courage
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Today in U.S. History

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Today is Wednesday, Jan. 2, the second day of 1974. There are 363 days left in the year.

Today's highlight in history:

On this date in 1942, the Japanese captured the Philippine capital, Manila, 26 days after the Pacific War began.

On this date —

In 1492, the Spaniards took Granada from the Moors.

In 1788, Georgia became the fourth state to ratify the U.S. Constitution.

In 1900, the open door policy in China was announced by U.S. Secretary of State John Hay.

In 1905, the Russians surrendered the Manchurian city of Port Arthur to the Japanese.

In 1959, Fidel Castro entered Hasvana and named Dr. Manuel Urrutia provisional president of Cuba.

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Deaths

ZORA MAE CARBAUGH

ILLMO— Zora Mae Carbaugh, 68, died at 11:20 a.m. Monday at her home.

Born Sept. 15, 1905 in Illinois, she was the daughter of the late James Lawrence Hood and Sarah Elizabeth Langley.

She was a member of brotherhood of Railroad Trainmen Auxiliary and First Baptist Church.

She was an employe of Cotton Belt Railroad as chief clerk in the superintendent's office when she retired on May 1, 1970.

On March 1, 1924, she married Theodore Carbough, who preceded her in death Feb. 24, 1945.

Surviving are two sons, Roger and Harry Carbaugh of Illmo; two daughters, Mrs. Joe Miller of Bethlehem, Pa., and Mrs. William Hill of Houston, Tex.; her stepmother, Mrs. Fannie Hood of Chaffee; and 14 grandchildren and two great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 6 p.m. today at Amick-Burnett Funeral Home.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in First Baptist Church with the Rev. Ray B. Rhyne, pastor, officiating.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery at Cape Girardeau.

HENRY BRUCE

BLOOMFIELD — Henry B. Bruce, 65, a retired farmer, died at 6 a.m. today in Green Nursing Home.

Born Sept. 1, 1908 in Newport, Ark., he lived in Newport and Sikeston before moving to Bloomfield.

On May 10, 1925, he married Grace Taylor of Batesville, Ark., who preceded him in death.

He was a member of the Freewill Baptist Church.

Surviving are one son, J. H. Bruce of Bloomfield Route Three; four daughters, Mrs. William Tucker of Sikeston, Mrs. Elvin Loveless of Barnhart, Mrs. William Carlisle of Crowder and Mrs. Jack Frank of Festus; one brother, Onus Bruce of Bell City; and 24 grandchildren and three great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 3:30 p.m. Thursday at Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 1 p.m Friday.

Burial will be in Walker Cemetery near Bloomfield.

REXFORD DEMPSTER

BENTON — Rexford E. Dempster, 58, died at 5:30 p.m. Sunday at the Veterans Administration Hospital in Memphis, Tenn.

Born Jan. 15, 1915 in Perry County, he was the son of Mr. and Mrs. Edwin R. Dempster of Benton, who survive. He was a member of St. Denis Catholic Church and the Scott City Veterans of Foreign Wars and Benton American Legion posts.

Also surviving are one daughter, Mrs. Phillip Freeman of Florissant; two brothers, Milas Dempster of Benson, Ariz., and Daniel Dempster of Benton; three sisters, Mrs. Raymond Leible of Sikeston, Mrs. Sylvester Scherer of Benton and Mrs. Paul Myers of St. Petersburg, Fla.; and one grandson.

Mass was recited at 11 a.m. today in St. Denis Catholic Church by the Rev. Raymond Kunkle.

Burial was in the church cemetery with military rites conducted by the Scott VFW and Benton American Legion posts.

Ford and Sons Funeral Home was in charge of arrangements.

Pallbearers were Charles Leible, John Leible, Louis Leible, Paul Michael Urhahn, Arthur Schiwitz III and Roy Proctor.

OTIS ROBINSON

CLARKTON — Otis M. Robinson, 74, died at 6:20 a.m. Monday in Dunklin County Memorial Hospital at Kennett.

He was born Oct. 29, 1899 at Corning, Ark., to the late William and Lula Cole Robinson.

He was a member of the Church of Nazarene.

On Feb. 14, 1945, he married Bertha Ham Green, who survives.

Also surviving are six sons, Chester and Frank Robinson of Hot Springs, Ark., Leonard Robinson of Campbell, Eudell Robinson of Holcomb, Kenneth Robinson of St. Louis and Robert Green of Malden; seven daughters, Louise Richards of Osteen, Fla., Jerris Harper, Mavis Berry and Mina Chandler of St. Louis, Mary Bonner of Bernie, Fern Long of Fort Hood, Tex., and Nelda Bradshaw of Holcomb; one sister, Sylvia Whaley of Dexter; and 35 grandchildren and six great-grandchildren.

Services were conducted at 2 p.m. today at the Malden Church of the Nazarene by the Rev. M. Ray Snow.

Burial was in Stanfield Cemetery near Clarkton with Landess Funeral Home of Malden in charge of arrangements.

RUBY M. ALLBRITTON

EAST PRAIRIE-- Mrs. Ruby Mae Allbritton, 67, of 302 W. Maple St. died at 5 a.m. today in Missouri Delta Community Hospital at Sikeston following an extended illness.

She was born Dec. 2, 1906 in Tipton County, Tenn., to the late Mr. and Mrs. John Delashmit and had lived in East Prairie for 25 years.

On Dec. 2, 1925, she married Robert L. Allbritton, who survives.

Also surviving are one son, Russell Allbritton of Chicago, Ill.; four daughters, Mrs. Ida Hinkle of East Prairie, Mrs. Mary Clines of St. Louis, Mrs. Thelma Shades of Charleston and Mrs. Lois Houseman of Wyatt; three brothers, Vernon Delashmit of Memphis, Tenn., Erwel Delashmit of Munford, Tenn., and Osborne Delashmit of Millington, Tenn.; four sisters, Mrs. Thelman Hutchison and Mrs. Mary Cullum of Munford, Tenn., Mrs. Lois Peterson of Lancaster, Calif., and Mrs. Mabel House of Memphis; and 13 grandchildren.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Thursday at McMikle Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday.

Burial will be in Dogwood Cemetery.

ROY HART

GRAY RIDGE-- Roy Hart, 71, died Tuesday at Dexter Memorial Hospital.

The body is at Watkins and Sons Funeral Home in Dexter where arrangements are incomplete.

GRACE MCCONNELL

MALDEN — Grace McConnell, 84, died at 7:25 p.m. Monday at her home.

She was born June 20, 1889 at Dexter and was a member of First General Baptist Church.

On July 4, 1907, she married Gilbert A. McConnell, who preceded her in death May 2, 1937.

Survivors include three daughters, Velta Burris and Hazel Wiggs of Malden and Norma Ellsworth of Bloomfield; two sons, Chester McConnell of Gideon and Ruben McConnell of Risco; and 18 grandchildren.

Friends may call at Landess Funeral Home, where services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Thursday with the Rev. John Hoskins officiating.

Burial will be in Park Cemetery.

MARTEEN HENDERSON

DEXTER — Marteen William Henderson, 47, died Tuesday at Veterans Hospital at Poplar Bluff.

Born Oct. 19, 1926 at Dexter, he was owner and operator of Bootheel Restaurant in Dexter until illness caused him to retire in September, 1973. He was a member of First General Baptist Church and a veteran of World War II.

On Sept. 24, 1954, he married Betty Carwile, who survives.

Other survivors include two daughters, Cheryl Zimmerman of Dexter; one son, Bill Link of Baltimore, Md.; two brothers, Fred and Elmer Henderson of Dexter; and three sisters, Myrtle Dodge of Dexter, Marie Rohe of Columbia, Ill., and Pauline Pounds of Detroit, Mich.

Friends may call after 10 a.m. Thursday at Watkins and Sons Funeral Home.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday with the Revs. Billy Hamlett and W. R. Elledge officiating.

Burial will be in Dexter Cemetery.

DAVID DELAY

BELL CITY — Services for David Delay, 86, who died Monday, are scheduled at 1 p.m. Thursday in the Bell City Assembly of God Church. The Revs. Sidney Razer and A. A. Noggle will officiate.

Burial will be in Morgan Memorial Park Cemetery at Advance.

GUY O. SANDAGE

ST. CHARLES — Guy Overton Sandage, 73, a former resident of Bloomfield, died at 2 a.m. Tuesday in St. Joseph Hospital.

He was born Nov. 30, 1900 in Indiana.

Surviving are his widow, True Robinson Sandage; three sons, J. W. Sandage of Caseyville, Ill., Guy E. Sandage of Bloomfield and Larry Sandage of St. Charles; three daughters, Kathrine Cox of St. Louis and Berniece Lathum and Betty Lathum of St. Charles; one brother, Ervin Sandage of Wardell; and 22 grandchildren and five great-grandchildren.

Friends may call after 3 p.m. Friday at Chiles-Cooper Funeral Home in Bloomfield where services are scheduled at 11 a.m. Saturday. The Rev. Don Stafford will officiate.

Burial will be in Bloomfield Cemetery.

HELEN BARNETT

LONG BEACH, Calif.-- Helen Alpine Barnett, 60, formerly of Malden, Mo., died at 3:05 a.m. Sunday at Los Altos Hospital in Long Beach.

She was born Jan. 3, 1913 at Hollywood, Mo., to the late Noah and Mary Barnett Alberson. She was a member of the Church of Christ.

Surviving are her widower, Theodore Barnett; six sons, Harold Barnett of Fresno, Wayne Barnett of Houston, Tex., Allen Barnett of Los Angeles, Clyde and Wallace Barnett of St. Louis and Anthony Barnett of Long Beach; six daughters, Virginia Vancil of St. Louis, Glenda Gardener of Owensville, Nine Baker of Malden, Mo., Eloise Henson of San Jose, Patricia Chiles of Villa Ridge, Mo., and LaGuin Brummett of Long Beach; two brothers, Orville Alberson of Muskogee, Okla., and Arlin Alberson of Greenville, Mo.; and one sister, Almeda Earheart of Malden.

Friends may call at Boyd Funeral Home in Malden.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Wednesday in the Malden Church of Christ with Chuck Huber officiating.

Burial will be in Memorial Park Cemetery, at Malden.

HUBERT MIDKIFF

CLARKTON — Hubert W. Midkiff, 60, a self-employed carpenter, died early today in Dunklin County Memorial Hospital at Kennett.

He was born Feb. 22, 1913 in Clarkton and was a member of the Clarkton General Baptist Church.

On April 13, 1937 at Clarkton, he married Julia Mae Grant, who survives.

Also surviving are four sons, Charles Hubert Midkiff of Salem, James Calvin Midkiff of Rector, Ark., Luther Gene Midkiff of Clarkton and Jackie Neal Midkiff of Dowagiac, Mich.; three daughters, Margaret Hamm of Bristol, Ind., Hattie Frances Collins of Dowagiac and Mary Elizabeth Moody of Clarkton, one brother, George Midkiff of Vanduser, and 21 grandchildren and one great-grandchild.

Friends may call at the family home after 10 a.m. Thursday.

Services are scheduled at 2 p.m. Friday in the Clarkton General Baptist Church with the Revs. Ossie Moody and C. M. Benson officiating.

Burial will be in Stanfield Cemetery.

The world's tallest tree is a California redwood standing 366 feet high.

River Stages

MISSISSIPPI RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Chester	27	16.3	-1.9
Cape Girardeau	32	24.4	-1.6
New Madrid	34	32.5	+.2
Caruthersville	32	30.7	una.

FORECAST

At Chester the river will fall 1.0 Thursday; fall 1.0 Friday; and fall .9 Saturday.

At Cape Girardeau the river will fall 1.5 Thursday; fall 1.1 Friday; and fall .7 Saturday.

At New Madrid the river will rise .2 Thursday; rise .1 Friday and crest at 32.8; and remain steady Saturday.

At Caruthersville the river will rise .3 by Thursday; rise .2 Friday; and rise .1 Saturday. The river will crest at 31.8 Sunday.

OHIO RIVER

	Flood	Now	Ch.
Golconda	40	36.2	+1.1
Paducah	39	36.5	+.3
Grand Chain	42	44.0	+.3
Cairo	40	42.9	+.2

FORECAST

At Golconda the river will rise .7 Thursday; rise .4 Friday; and rise .2 Saturday and crest at 37.5.

At Paducah the river will rise .4 Thursday; rise .3 Friday; and rise .4 Saturday and crest at 37.5.

At Grand Chain no forecast was available.

At Cairo the river will rise .1 Thursday and crest at 43.0; remain steady Friday; and fall .1 Saturday.

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he arrived home, he started a ruckus with his mother, McCarty and a friend of McCarty's, Mike Simmons, 18, who was visiting at the home.

McDonald reportedly threatened to strike McCarty with a skillet. Mrs. McDonald told officers she grabbed her son and tried to stop him. However, he broke away from her and was in a hallway leading to a bedroom where McCarty was when the gun was fired.

Clayton said McCarty said he didn't know the gun was loaded and was going to scare his uncle with it. McCarty said he pointed the gun toward the wall and pulled the trigger while his uncle was in the hall. Clayton said some of the shot from the blast had hit the bedroom door.

Mrs. McDonald told officers she had bought the gun for her grandson, who has lived with her most of his life.

McDonald reportedly had been abusive to the family on prior occasions when he was drinking and had slapped his mother and nephew.

Ellen Street, 15, a granddaughter of Mrs. McDonald, who was visiting at the home, also witnessed the shooting.

The body is at Russell Mortuary in Gideon.

Local stocks

	BID	ASK
1st Nat Bk of Sik	7	7½
Anheuser Busch	32¾	33¼
Olson Bros	1¾	2¼
Martha Manning	1	1½
Pabst Brewing	25½	26
Chase Nat	6½	7½
Wetterau	16¼	16¾
LISTED STOCKS		
Allied Stores		21
American Tel & Tel		50¼
American Motors		9
ICalvert Exp.		4
Chrysler		15¾
Columbia Gas		25¼
Eaton MFG		26
Ford Motors		40⅛
General Motors		46¼
Interstate Brands		5
Malone & Hyde		19¾
Mid South Util		17
J. C. Penney		71¾
New England Elect		19¼
Occidental Pet		8¼
WalMart Stores		13¼

EDITOR'S NOTE: The bid price is the approximate price if one were a seller and the asked price is the approximate price if one were a buyer.

IRS to re-examine Nixon tax returns

WASHINGTON (AP) — The Internal Revenue Service said today it is re-examining President Nixon's income tax returns for the past several years.

The IRS said representatives of Nixon are cooperating fully in the probe and had authorized disclosure of the action.

The IRS did not say what years would be covered by the review. But there has been controversy over the President's returns for 1970, 1971 and 1972.

The President paid total taxes for these three years of less than $6,000.

An IRS spokesman said in answer to a question that the tax agency could recover past taxes due for all three of those years, but that the statute of limitations would have expired for taxes due from previous years.

Grain Market

CHICAGO (AP) — Farm commodity futures futures prices were irregular in early dealings on the Chicago Board of Trade today.

On the opening, wheat was unchanged to 1 cent a bushel lower, March 5.43; corn was ¼ lower to 1 higher, March 2.69½; oats were ¾ to 1¾ higher, March 1.40 and soybeans were unchanged to 1½ lower, January 5.78.

Construction tools stolen from site

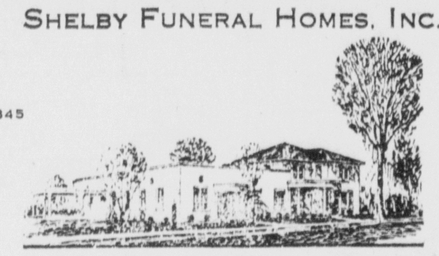
DEXTER — Ralph Burnett, who is building a house in the Gene Tucker subdivision, Ecology Acres, reported to the Stoddard County sheriff's department that two saws, several hammers, tape measures and nail aprons were missing from the building site.

The theft took place sometime between Friday and Monday, a spokesman for the sheriff's department said.

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All of our free trips on our policies are now cancelled because of these new ambulance regulations that the government has passed. There is no possible way for our Funeral Home to meet these new laws for ambulances and ambulance trips. It states in our policies that IF we cannot abide by the law, these trips are voided. Also, my car trips will be cancelled because of this new Bill.

I want to thank each and every one of you for the confidence you have placed in the Shelby Funeral Homes and our employees. I am very sorry that this bill was passed.

Our Firm can still take care of the transfer of the deceased from Hospitals, Cities, or any place where death occurs.

Ambulance service will be operated by The Mississippi County Court. Ambulances will be placed in both East Prairie and in Charleston. The telephone number for this service will be published in the paper in the near future.

Again, I want to thank you for your patronage and for the confidence that you have placed in the Shelby Funeral Homes for the past 74 years.

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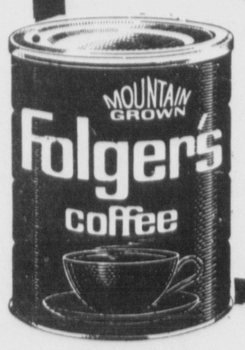
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LOOKING BACK

Cape filling stations charging 25 cents a gallon for gas

50 Years Ago
January 2, 1924

The H.& H. Fruit and Produce Co., of Cape Girardeau had rented half of the first floor of the Farmers Supply Implement Co., and has installed a large supply of the goods they will handle.

The Sikeston Chamber of Commerce has arranged with the Hunter & Gibson Indoor Circus to play Sikeston the last week in January for the benefit of the treasury of the Chamber.

Morehouse -- Charlie Barnet of Morehouse returned to his work in St. Louis Saturday.

Sikeston autoists had better have their gas tanks filled before visiting Cape Girardeau. Geo. A. Bruce tells The Standard that he was charged 25 cents a gallon for gas in that city a day or two ago and protested at being held up, but had to pay it in order to have enough gas to get home on.

40 Years Ago
January 2, 1934

A plan was presented to the City Council in regular session Monday by C. L. Blanton, Jr., in which it is proposed that the city complete the arrangement for Sikeston to have an airport constructed with money available through the Government CWA.

Canalou - Mr. and Mrs. J. H. Coopage and children were in New Madrid a short time Saturday.

Pharris Ridge - Misses Mildred and Margaret Crosno spent the weekend with Maxine Faries of Morehouse.

Big Opening - Mr. and Mrs. Richard Pearcy were Saturday night and Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Will Pearcy.

30 Years Ago
January 2, 1944

Cpl. Russell T. Baker, son of Mr. and Mrs. R. C. Baker of Sikeston, has been listed by the War Department as receiving the Purple Heart for wounds suffered in action in Tunisia.

Harry Young, who has been employed at the Sikeston postoffice for the past eight years, is now with the Ballard Seed Co., a new company of the Dan McCoy company with offices and warehouses on Dorothy and Frisco Streets.

Ben Batts of Vanduser died in St. Louis Tuesday.

Pvt. Dessie D. Rubel, now serving with Uncle Sam's armed forces at Fort Lawton, Wash., has been promoted to Private First Class, according to the Post Commander.

20 Years Ago
January 2, 1954

Mrs. J. A. Barber, 408 Matthews street, who celebrated her 81st birthday November 3, died in the Delta Community Hospital yesterday after a five week illness.

East Prairie - Funeral services for William Hilberry Forrester, 86, a retired farmer, will be held tomorrow. He died Friday at the home of a daughter, Mrs. Carl Britt of Wolf Island.

Mrs. Dovie Branton of Nashville, Tenn., a sister of I. G. Lewis died this week. The funeral was held on Wednesday.

Forrest L. Rudd, new superintendent of the Sikeston plant of the International Shoe Co., has taken over new duties from W. L. Huters, who has retired after 45 years service.

The stork was flying a bit late into Sikeston this year and the first baby of 1954 -- a son born to Mr. and Mrs. John Emerson of Morley -- was born today in the local hospital.

Malcolm Harrison Radcliffe, 64, of Matthews, a long time employe of the State of MIssouri in the Public Service Commission and for the past three and a half years weight clerk at Weigh Station E-4, about eight and one-half miles south of Sikeston on Highway 61, died suddenly from a heart attack at his home at Matthews Thursday.

Charles Bearden Murphy, 73, of Route 1, Sikeston, died in the local hospital Thursday.

Charleston - An outstanding social event of the week was the marriage of Miss Alice Lee Burnett, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Stotts Burnett, and Leslie Shelby Fox, son of Mr. and Mrs. Leslie W. Fox, which was solemnized December 29 at the Methodist Church.

Charleston - Miss Nancy Shelby whose engagement to James Moore Thurmond, son of Mrs. Margaret Moore Thurmond of Charleston, was announced this week by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. George U. Shelby of Charleston.

Mr. and Mrs. William V. Carlisle of Sikeston are parents of a daughter born at the local hospital on Thursday.

A daughter was born Wednesday at Cape Osteopathic Hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Aubrey Michael of Benton.

Mr. and Mrs. Laverne Box of Sikeston are parents of a daughter born Tuesday at Southeast Missouri Hospital.

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Nine die on Missouri roads

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Nine persons were reported killed on Missouri streets and highways over the long New Year's holiday weekend, with roadways made hazardous by snow and ice a contributing factor in most of the accidents.

The figure was four more than the state recorded during the similar 102-hour Christmas holiday. But with travel curtailed by the weather and the fuel shortage, the count was down from the 19 fatalities of the Thanksgiving weekend.

The worst single accident occurred in St. Joseph early Saturday and resulted in the deaths of three teen-agers. Philip Reece and Sharon Shubert died in the two-car crash and Merle Caine was fatally injured; he died Sunday night. All three of the St. Joseph youths were 17.

Killed Tuesday in a one-car crash near Trenton was Patrick R. Connell, 18, Sterling, Colo.

Killed Monday:

John M. Eistel, 20, and Charles J. Vann, 17, both of Maryville, in a one-car accident near Maryville, and Jack Freer, 38, Marionville, in a car-train collision at a Marionville crossing.

Killed Sunday:

John W. Lipari, 29, Grant City, when his pickup overturned on a Grant City street.

Killed Friday after the holiday counting period began at 6 p.m. was Lana Barr, 15, Affton, struck by a truck in the St. Louis suburb of Crestwood.

What's the law?

The case of the happy roller

By Jack Strauss, LL.B.

Horace went on a vacation to the Caribbean where it was perfectly legal to engage in galloping dominoes. As it turned out, however, he did more grumbling than gambling. A heavy loser at the dice tables, he paid his losses by check and took off for home a sadder but wiser man.

Upon his arrival, however, he became even smarter. A knowledgeable friend informed him that losses incurred while playing dice were not collectible in the state where Horace lived. Consequently, he happily stopped payment on his check.

In short order, the operator of the Caribbean gambling casino sued Horace in his own back yard to collect on the vulcanized check.

"He can't do it," insisted Horace in court. "A dice roller's debts can't be enforced in this state. It's against the law and it's against public policy."

"So is chiseling," responded the proprietor of the gambling casino. "Since it's legal to gamble in the Caribbean, Horace shouldn't be allowed to get away with playing and not paying."

IF YOU WERE THE JUDGE, would you make happy Horace make good on his rubberized check?

This is how the judge ruled: YES! The judge held that a gambling debt lawfully incurred in a place where such gambling is permitted is not so offensive to public policy and the law of the state as to prohibit collection. My heavens, concluded the judge in effect, with lotteries, pari-mutuel betting on horse racing, etc., even states are now involved in gambling.

(Based upon a 1973 New Jersey Supreme Court Decision)



"The world is in a bad way when an egg falls and breaks the bowl." African Proverb

Prayer for today

from the Upper Room

Who is the greatest? (Matthew 18:2)

PRAYER: Father God, as we express our desire to be truly great, we would learn and practice the ingredients of greatness as taught by Your Son Jesus. Amen.

Wed. Jan. 2

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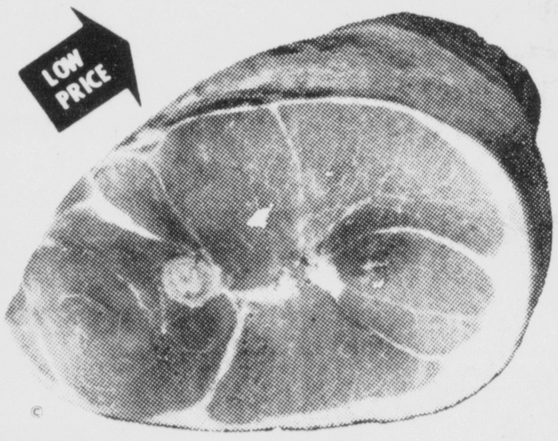
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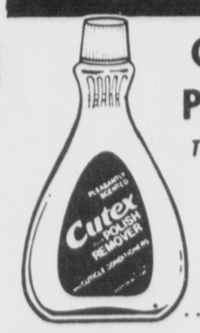
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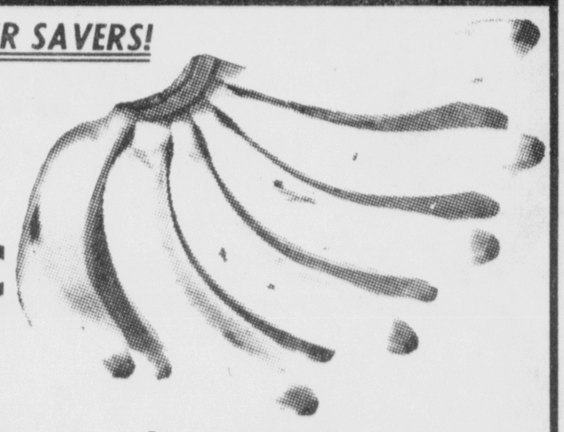
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COOKING-UP

Readers,

These delicious recipes all contain Girl Scout cookies, which will be delivered locally during the week of Jan. 23-30. The recipes are kitchen tested and should be quite enjoyable to those who like these unique cookies.

Good eating.

Judy S.

LEMON CREME ICE CREAM PIE

1½ cups crushed Lemon Creme cookies (including filling)
2 tbsp. softened margarine or butter
3 pts. vanilla ice cream
¼ cup lemonade concentrate
1 drop yellow food coloring

Combine crushed cookies and margarine. Firmly press into 9-inch pie plate.

Soften half the ice cream and spread in pie shell.

Combine lemonade concentrate and food coloring; swirl over ice cream. Freeze until firm to the touch.

Soften remainder of ice cream and spread over concentrate.

Freeze until firm.

REFRIGERATOR DESSERT

Two 3-oz. pkgs. raspberry or strawberry flavored gelatin
½ cup margarine or butter
1 cup sugar
1 egg, well beaten
One 8¼ oz. can crushed pineapple, drained
1 cup chopped nutmeats
56 Scot-Teas cookies

Prepare gelatin according to package directions; refrigerate until partially set.

Beat margarine and sugar thoroughly; add egg, pineapple and nutmeats.

Place a layer of cookies over bottom of 13x9- inch pan. Cover with creamed mixture; then gently press another layer of cookies into creamed mixture. Pour partially set gelatin on top.

Place in refrigerator until firm. Cut into bars.

GREEN ANGEL DELIGHT

2 cups crushed Sandwich Cookie crumbs
½ cup melted margarine or butter
One 13- oz. can evaporated milk
One 3-oz. pkg. lime flavored gelatin
1¾ cups hot water
¼ cup lime juice
2 tbsp. lemon juice
1 cup sugar
One 6-oz. pkg. chocolate pieces.

Mix margarine with cookie crumbs. Line 13x9- inch dish with mixture.

Whip milk (which has been chilled in freezing compartment). Dissolve gelatin in hot water. After partially set, whip until fluffy.

Mix juices and sugar together; fold into gelatin. Fold in whipped milk and chocolate pieces.

Pour over cookie crumbs. Place in refrigerator until ready to serve.

APPLE-RAISIN BROWN BETTY

2½ cups Scot- Teas cookie pieces
4 cups finely chopped tart apples
¾ cup seedless raisins
2/3 cup firmly packed brown sugar
¼ tsp. nutmeg
½ tsp. cinnamon
¼ cup margarine or butter, melted
2 tbsp. lemon juice
1/3 cup water
cream

Sprinkle 1/3 of cookie pieces in greased 1½ quart casserole dish.

Mix next five ingredients. Spread half of mixture on top of cookies and repeat layers. Cover with remaining cookies.

Drizzle with butter mixed with juice and water. Cover and bake in preheated moderate oven (375 degrees) for 40 minutes.

Uncover and bake 20 minutes longer.

Serve warm with cream.

SAVANNAH TOFFEE TORTE

½ cup margarine or butter
1 cup confectioners sugar
3 eggs, separated
1½ oz. (1½ sq.) unsweetened chocolate, melted
Dash salt
14 Savannah cookies, crushed into crumbs (including filling)
½ cup chopped nutmeats

Beat together margarine and sugar until fluffy. Beat egg yolks; add to creamed mixture. Add melted chocolate and salt.

Beat Egg whites until stiff. Fold into creamed mixture.

Sprinkle half of cookie crumbs and nutmeats in 8- inch square pan. Pour mixture over crumbs. Then sprinkle with remaining crumbs and nutmeats. Refrigerate at least 12 hours before serving.

DATE AND NUT ROLL

18 Scot- Tea cookies, crumbled
¾ cup chopped dates
14 large marshmallows, cut up
1 cup chopped nutmeats
½ cup whipped cream

Combine all ingredients; mix well and roll up with ½ cup additional Scot- Tea cookie crumbs on the outside. Wrap in waxed paper and put in refrigerator at least five hours.

Cut in slices and top with whipped cream.

MINTED BROWNIE PIE

14 chocolate Mint cookies
3 egg whites
Dash salt
¾ cup sugar
½ tsp. vanilla
½ cup chopped nutmeats
1 cup whipped cream
Curls of shaved chocolate

Chill cookies in refrigerator, then roll between waxed paper to make crumbs. Beat egg whites and salt together until soft peaks form. Gradually add sugar, beating constantly until stiff. Fold in cookie crumbs, vanilla and nutmeats.

Spread in buttered 9-inch pie plate and chill several hours. Spoon into dessert dishes and serve with whipped cream garnished with shaved chocolate curls.

COFFEE ICEBOX CAKE

½ cup margarine or butter
½ cup sugar
5 egg yolks
¼ cup very strong coffee
16 Savannah cookies separated (including fillings)

Beat butter and sugar. Beat in egg yolks, one at a time; gradually stir in coffee.

Line bottom of 8-inch square baking dish with half the cookies. Pour in the coffee mixture. Cover top with remaining cookies.

Chill pudding for 12 hours or more. Serve garnished with whipped cream.



Try barbecued corned beef

By CECILY BROWNSTONE
Associated Press Food Editor

Have a Deli meal! Cook corned beef on top of the range, then make up a barbecue sauce. Slather the beef with part of the sauce and bake; serve hot for a first meal. Refrigerate the remainder of the meat for good sandwich eating. The barbecue sauce that is leftover should also be refrigerated; if it lasts longer than the corned beef, serve it with cold cuts.

BARBECUED CORNED BEEF

4 to 6 pounds flat-cut corned beef brisket
6 whole cloves
3 whole allspice
2 bay leaves
Water
1/4 cup butter
1 tablespoon prepared mustard
1 tablespoon dark brown sugar
1/2 cup undrained sweet pickle relish
1 cup catchup

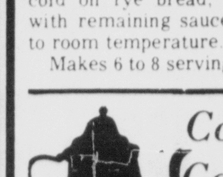
Place corned beef in a large saucepot; add spices and enough water to cover. Bring to a boil; cover and simmer until tender when pierced with a fork — 3 to 4 hours. Cool beef in broth; drain beef and remove excess exterior fat. Place beef in shallow roasting pan.

In a small saucepan melt butter; stir in mustard. Stir in remaining ingredients; simmer sauce, stirring constantly, for 1 minute.

Spread about 2/3 cup of the sauce over corned beef; bake in a preheated 350-degree oven for 30 minutes. Serve corned beef warm with remaining sauce; or chill meat, slice thin and serve cold on rye bread, spreading with remaining sauce warmed to room temperature.

Makes 6 to 8 servings.

CORNED BEEF — Serve it hot or cold with a barbecue sauce.



Coffee Corner by Cherie

Gosh, here it is 1974, and I haven't even gotten busy and made any New Year's Resolutions. However, with the world in the mess it's in today, I guess maybe I don't have to make any up myself, I can just let "the times" do it for me, and I have a funny feeling they're likely to be all kept!

Resolutions

Don't go on any trips (you might get hijacked)

Eat less meat (who can afford not to)

Do more walking and less driving (need I explain)

Take everything the politicians say with a grain of salt (maybe with the whole shaker?)

Don't burn the midnight oil (this one should be a pleasure)

Start using cloth napkins (who can find paper ones?)

Forget about starting to build anything (not only couldn't you get the lumber, but I don't believe you'd even get that pig's paper house started)

Go on a diet (and with the possibility of only "a rabbit in every pot" coming up, even this shouldn't be too difficult to keep).

Wombat Bounty

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Ivory Liquid
DETERGENT
45¢

USDA CHOICE
First Cut Chuck Roast --- LB. 69¢

USDA CHOICE
T-Bone Steak --------- LB. $1.49

USDA CHOICE
Sirloin Steak ---------- LB. $1.39

Tom or Hen Turkeys
WHILE THEY LAST
69¢ LB.

USDA CHOICE 6th and 7th RIB
Rib Roast
$1.29 LB.

SARA LEE- FROZEN
Pound Cake
11½ OZ. 79¢

Clorox Bleach
GAL. 59¢

4 ROLL PACK
1 PLY 400 COUNT
Cottonelle
BATH TISSUE
ONLY 19¢
Limit 1 at this price with an additional $7.50 or more in purchases excluding tobacco, fresh milk products or others prohibited by law. Note: $15.00 required for both peaches and bath tissue.



FRESH WATER
Catfish Steaks
99¢ LB.

USDA CHOICE
Boneless Stew Meat
LB. $1.09

16 OZ. BOX
IGA Saltines
35¢

3 PACK 4 OZ. BOXES
Cracker Jacks
3 PKGS. 89¢



2½ SIZE CAN
IGA CLING PEACH HALVES OR SLICED
Peaches
ONLY 19¢
Limit 2 at this price with an additional $7.50 or more in purchases excluding tobacco, fresh milk products or others prohibited by law.

IGA ASSORTED FLAVORS
Ice Cream
GALLON $1.19

IGA
Puffed Wheat
6 OZ. BAG 29¢

WAGNER
Orange Drink
54 OZ. BOTTLE
2 FOR 99¢

IGA
White Bread
5 16 OZ. LOAVES $1.00

IGA FROZEN
Orange Juice
16 OZ. CANS
3 FOR 89¢

REGULAR OR IODIZED
IGA Salt
26 OZ. BOX 13¢

IGA INSTANT
Mashed Potatoes
16 OZ. BOX 69¢

IGA 303 SIZE CAN
·Cream Style Golden Corn
·Whole Kernel Golden Corn
·Blue Lake Cut Green Beans
MIX OR MATCH 5 FOR 99¢

WHITE, PINK OR GOLD-
Dial Soap
BATH SIZE
4 BARS 99¢

PACKER'S LABEL
Standard Tomatoes
303 SIZE CAN
4 FOR 89¢

IGA
Tomato Soup
10¾ OZ. CANS
7 FOR 99¢

12 PC. TEFLON COATED
Cookware
WHILE THEY LAST
$10.99

IGA BUTTERMILK OR OLD STYLE
Biscuits
10 FOR $1.00
8 OZ. TUBES

FRESH
Leaf Lettuce
45¢ LB.

IGA
Tomato Sauce
8 OZ. CANS
7 FOR 99¢

WELCH'S
Grape Jelly
3 LB. JAR 89¢

RED OR WHITE
Grapefruit
6 FOR 49¢

GREAT FOR SALADS
Red Leaf Lettuce
25¢ LB.

SEALTEST 16 OZ. CARTON
Cottage Cheese 49¢

STRAINED FRUITS & VEGETABLES GERBER
Baby Food
4¾ OZ. JAR 10¢

MEAT LOAF, BEEF, CHICKEN, SALISBURY STEAK, SLICED TURKEY OR VEAL PARMESIAN
Banquet Cook-In Bags
3 5 OZ. PKGS FOR 89¢

VINE RIPE
Tomatoes
33¢ LB.

IGA
Cinnamon Rolls
9½ OZ. TUBES
3 FOR $1.00

IGA
Longhorn Cheese
10 OZ. PKG.
79¢

138 SIZE
Navel Oranges
DOZ. 49¢

ALL PURPOSE
Red Potatoes
20 LB. BAG $1.29

IGA BONUS COUPON
WITH THIS COUPON
25-LB. BAG — DOG FOOD
Gravy Train
Only $3.99
Expires 1-8-74 3-GF-25

IGA BONUS COUPON
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Mint Vel Liquid
ONLY 49¢
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Expires 1-8-74 3-CP-40

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WITH THIS COUPON
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Folger's Coffee
Only 99¢
Expires 1-8-74 3-F-50

IGA BONUS COUPON
WITH THIS COUPON
KING SIZE 63-OZ. BOTTLE
Downy Softener
Only $1.39
Expires 1-8-74 3-PG-15

IGA BONUS COUPON
WITH THIS COUPON
Green Goddess, Viva Italian, Viva Vinegar Oil — 8-oz. Bottle
7-Seas Dressings
Your Choice Each 29¢
Expires 1-8-74 3-AC-13

IGA BONUS COUPON
WITH THIS COUPON
48-OZ. BOTTLE
Wesson Oil
Only $1.49
Expires 1-8-74 3-HW-15

IGA BONUS COUPON
WITH THIS COUPON
BIRDSEYE 9-OZ. CTN. — FROZEN
Cool Whip
2 for $1.00
Expires 1-8-74 3-GF-15

Spears promoted to bank officer

The board of directors of the Michigan Avenue National Bank of Chicago has recently announced the promotion of Daniel K. Spears, formerly of Sikeston, to lending officer in the commercial lending department.

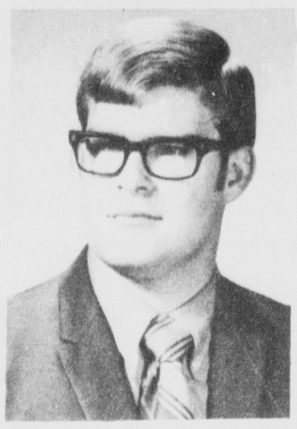
Spears has been employed by the bank since his graduation from Southeast Missouri State University at Cape Girardeau in January 1972. He has completed extensive training in the bank's officer training program and as a commercial credit analyst. He is married to the former Miss Michon (Mickey) Palumbo of St. Louis. They now live at 3517 Birchwood Drive, Hazel Crest, Ill.

Spears is a 1967 graduate of Sikeston High School and former employe of The Daily Standard sports staff. He is the son of Mrs. Mae Ila Teichman, 401 Carroll Ave., and the late Eugene J. Spears.

The world's largest flying bird is the wandering albatross, with a wing span of about 11½ feet.

There are more than three million trucks today on less than three million farms in the United States.

Focus on Business



Daniel Spears

Briggs buys Two Tony's

Lloyd G. Briggs, 104 W. Gladys St., has purchased Two Tony's Restaurant at 205 W. Malone Ave., it was announced today.

Briggs is judge of the Scott County Magistrate Court.

The restaurant was bought from James and Elma Brown, who, Briggs said, will remain with the establishment for an indefinite period.

Briggs said the restaurant will be closed for repairs until Jan. 18. On reopening, it will be open six days a week from Tuesday through Sunday and will have occasional menu changes. The restaurant has been operating only five days a week, Wednesday through Sunday.

Briggs said no other major changes are planned.

World welcomes new year

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

Skimpy gasoline supplies and severe winter weather kept many Americans home for a relatively quiet New Year's Day. But there were the customary parties, parades and football bowl games to welcome the start of 1974.

President Nixon was among millions of gridiron enthusiasts across the nation who watched holiday bowl games telecast from Miami, Dallas and Pasadena, Calif. Nixon had spent a quiet New Year's Eve with his family in San Clemente, Calif.

In Rome, Pope Paul VI wished thousands who gathered in St. Peter's Square a happy new year and said that economic worries should not displace concern for the problem of world peace.

New Year's was an official holiday for the first time in England. But because of power rationing as well as tradition, it was business as usual in many department stores and factories. Britain began a three-day work week Monday to conserve energy and some firms had to operate Monday through today.

Queen Elizabeth II's Honors List for New Year's was headed by William Whitelaw, who as secretary of state for Northern Ireland got leaders of the Protestant majority there to agree to a coalition with the Roman Catholic minority.

Millions of Japanese welcomed the Year of the Tiger with visits to shrines and temples.

Orbiting hundreds of miles above the earth, America's Skylab 3 astronauts put in a full day's work after brief New Year's greetings from ground control. They conducted earth resources studies and other scientific experiments.

Some 1.5 million persons lined the streets in Pasadena to watch the Tournament of Roses parade preceding the Rose Bowl game. Chosen sweepstakes winner was a flowered float, entered by the City of St. Louis, Mo., called 'Happiness is ... a Snowflake."

Snow storms plus frigid temperatures put a damper on other New Year's festivities as well as holiday travel.

In Dallas, where the mercury dipped to an unusually cold 22 degrees, attendance at the Cotton Bowl parade was about 15,000, compared with the usual average of 25,000.

The Midwest had a shivering start to the new year as a record-breaking cold wave dropped temperatures as low as 45 below zero at McGrath, Minn. A major winter storm developed in the Southwest, dumping snow across parts of Nebraska, Kansas and Oklahoma.

Heavy snows and high winds in Colorado forced cancellation of some traditional New Year's Day events, including a fireworks display planned for the top of 14,110-foot Pikes Peak.

In Philadelphia, the New Year's Day parade was canceled and 16,000 costumed Mummers sent home because of a cold, drizzling rain.

The bad weather together with a near-total shutdown of gasoline stations in some areas was credited with discouraging highway travel and thus lowering the accident death count.

At the end of the four-day holiday weekend, the highway total was 409 fatalities, below the 470 to 570 anticipated by the National Safety Council.

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PURE GROUND BEEF LB 79c
CHUCK ROAST LB 79c
CHICKASAW SLICED BACON LB 79c
PORK STEAK LB 89c
ARMOUR ALMEAT WIENERS PKG. 79c

WAGNER ORANGE DRINK 54 OZ BOTTLE 49c
JUST-RITE CHILI WITH BEANS 303 CAN 39c
TOILET TISSUE COTTONELLE 4 ROLL PKG. 39c
CHEF-WAY SHORTENING 3 LB CAN $1.09
MORTON EXCLUDE HAM, BEEF, CHICKEN T.V. DINNER 2/89c
BAMA ASST. JELLIES 18 OZ JAR 39c
DETERGENT CHEER DETERGENT GIANT SIZE 85c
DIAL BAR SOAP BATH SIZE 4/99c
HYDE PARK BREAD 16 OZ LOAF With $5.00 add. purchase 4/$1.00
ROYAL GELATIN ASST FLAVORS BOX 10c
TEXSUN UNSWEETENED PINK GRAPEFRUIT JUICE 46 OZ CAN 49c

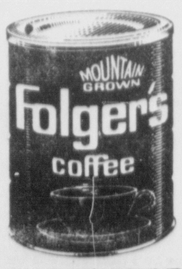
C & H SUGAR 5 LB BAG 39c With $7.50 add. purch.
$12.50 purchase required for both sugar & bread

RED DELICIOUS WASHINGTON APPLES 4 LBS. FOR $1.00
CALIF. SUNKIST ORANGES 88 SIZE 6/49c
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FOLGERS COFFEE 2 LB. CAN $1.79 W/C
35+3 EXPIRES 1-1-74

LEARUE & McKINNIE COUPON
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10+3 Exp. 1-8-74

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ZESTA SALTINE CRACKERS 1 LB BOX 29c W/C
7+3 Exp. 1-15-74

Harrington arraigned on murder charge

(REVIEW OF 1973 NEWS EVENTS)

DECEMBER

1---John Graham, 7- year-old son of Mrs. Nadine Graham, 135 N. Firsco, was struck and injured by an automobile at 5:34 p.m. Friday on North St.

3---Four out- of- state travelers were seriously injured and a Sikeston man received minor injuries in three traffic accidents on area roads over the weekend, the highway patrol reported today.

4---James (Peterboy) Harrington, 24, was arraigned in Magistrate Court today in the Sikeston City Courtroom in connection with the 1971 murder of Kenneth Ellison during a dice game on Felker St.

5---Two men were shot, one man was shot and beaten and one woman was beaten during two armed robberies Tuesday in Stoddard and New Madrid counties.

6---The City Planning and Zoning Commission Wednesday night formulated several goals for the city comprehensive plan and proposed a one- cent city sales tax to help Sikeston raise needed revenue.

The Scott County sheriff's department and city police raided the Eddie Mills home, 800 Ruth St., about 11:40 p.m. Wednesday in search of illegal drugs.

7---Fire of undetermined origin destroyed a small house in the rear of 325 Alabama shortly after 9 a.m. today. The home belonged to Richard Hayes.

8---NEW MADRID -- Calvin Ross, 23, and Robert Earl Ross, 23, of St. Louis and Charles Williams 31, of New Madrid, objected Friday to the court- appointed attorney named by Magistrate Judge Leo Hedgepeth to defend them against charges of armed robbery, two counts of felonious assault, with intent to kill and car theft in incidents Tuesday.

10---Fire did extensive damage to the back shop of Poole's Heating and Cooling on South Main Street early Sunday morning.

Two Sikeston men and a Malden man were killed and four persons were injured in five traffic accidents on area roads and highways over the weekend. Killed were James T. Green, 59 and Jake Ward, 65 of Sikeston and Ira Dockins, 47 of Malden.

11---The move to the new junior high school facility is expected to be completed by mid- January or early February.

12---Defense counsel to represent James "Peterboy" Harrington against a first-degree murder charge in connection with the 1971 shooting death of Kenneth Ellison apparently was completed Tuesday when a second attorney accepted appointment during Magistrate Court proceedings in the Sikeston City Court Room.

CHARLESTON -- No major curtailments in electrical or natural gas supplies are expected this winter in the Charleston area, according to reports heard Tuesday night by the City Council.

13---The Planning and Zoning Commission met Wednesday night to prepare a future land use design for the city's comprehensive plan which is in the process of being updated by the commission.

14---EAST PRAIRIE -- Refuse collection, drainage problems and purchase of additional property adjoining the industrial park were included on the agenda at Thursday night's regular meeting of the city council.

15---Scott County's economy chalked up significant gains in the last few years, exceeding the advances reported for many sections of the country.

17---NEW MADRID -- Ronnie Dale Lamb, 23, of Marston, formerly of Poplar Bluff, has been charged with felonious assault and nine misdemeanor offenses in connection with a high- speed chase and knife strugtle with a highway patrolman Saturday.

18---NEW MADRID -- In its midmonth session Monday night, the City Council increased volunteer firemen's pay and discussed utility easements, sewers, police radios and flood protection.

19-- MORLEY--- Fire of undetermined origin destroyed the First Baptist Church early today. The Rev. Liston Smith, pastor, estimated the loss at approximately $70,000.

20-- An estimated three inches of snow fell in the Sikeston area Wednesday night, causing hazardous driving conditions, school closings and postponements of community activities.

21-- A new school building for State School 49 in the Sikeston- Charleston district has been proposed by Gov. Christopher Bond as part of a $20.8 million program to combat mental retardation.

DEXTER-- Noel Jeffrey Crowe, 24, of Bloomfield was killed at 7:20 p.m. Thursday when his car skidded through the intersection of West Market St. and One Mile Road and plunged into a 10- foot ditch.

22-- First Federal Savings and Loan Association of Cape Girardeau received permission Friday to open a branch office in Sikeston which will be located at the corner, South Kingshighway and Kathleen Ave.

24 & 25-- Twelve persons were injured, two seriously, in seven traffic accidents Saturday in Southeast Missouri, according to the highway patrol.

26-- GIDEON--- Donald M. Blackburn, 38, of Gideon was shot to death about 12:30 p.m. Christmas Day in the home of his mother- in- law, Isabel Polsgrove, who lives four miles north of town on Route One.

EAST PRAIRIE-- A 19- year- old East Prairie youth died at 9:15 p.m. Monday at 408 Herring St. where he had been taken two hours earlier by a friend after reportedly drinking a fifth of whisky without stopping. The dead youth was identified as Richard Lee Counts of Route One.

27-- A Scott City man was killed and six persons were injured Wednesday in five area traffic accidents, the highway patrol reported today. The latest fatality brings the number of fatalities on Southeast Missouri roads this year to 147, compared to 174 traffic deaths at the same time last year.

28-- NEW MADRID--- The New Madrid County coroner and sheriff were overpaid in 1971 and 1972 because their salaries were calculated on 1960 census data, a state audit of New Madrid County shows.

29-- NEW MADRID--- A verdict of justifiable homicide was returned by a coroner's jury Friday at inquest proceedings investigating the shooting death of Donald M. Blackburn, 38, of Gideon shortly after noon Tuesday at the home of Mrs. Isabel Polsgrove.

About 50 dogs have found new homes in the past two months through the efforts of Sikeston humane officer Bob Beardsley.

31-- The Department of Liqour Control Friday suspended liquor licenses for 13 establishments, following pre- hearing conferences in Cape Girardeau before Michael Garrett, supervisor of liquor control.

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FISH

LB 79c

FRESH CALLIE STYLE

PORK ROAST

LB 69c

CHICKASAW SLICED

BACON

LB ROLL 89c

HUNTERS SLICED PICKLES & PIMENTO LOAF LB 99c

HUNTERS BRAUNSCHWEIGER LB 89c

ARROWHEAD

WEINERS

10 IN 12 OZ PKG 63c

KREYS PURE PORK

SAUSAGE

LB ROLL 79c

FRESH LEAN GROUND BEEF LB 89c

US CHOICE BONELESS BEEF RUMP ROAST LB $1.39

US CHOICE SIRLOIN BREAKFAST STEAKS LB $1.49

FRESH LEAN ¼ SLICED LOIN

PORK CHOPS

LB 79c

ROYAL FRESH FRUIT

GELATIN

3 PKG 29c

GARDEN CLUB PURE APPLE GRAPE JELLY 3 18 OZ JAR $1.00

SAVORY PURE STRAWBERRY PRESERVES 18 OZ JAR 59c

HERSHEY INSTANT HOT CHOCOLATE PKG 5c

FRESH PURE GRAIN IN ¼ LB STICKS BUTTER LB 88c

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ICE MILK

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VIM & VIGOR

MILK

GALLON $1.17

SAVE 60c — BIG STAR COUPON



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LIMIT 1

EXPIRES JANUARY 8 R-35

BIG STAR COUPON SAVE 25c

COTTONELLE

BATHROOM TISSUE

4 ROLL PAK L-3 28c

LIMIT 1 WITH COUPON & $5.00 PURCHASE

EXPIRES JANUARY 8 R-3

BIG STAR COUPON



SAVE 30c

GALLON 39c

LIMIT 1

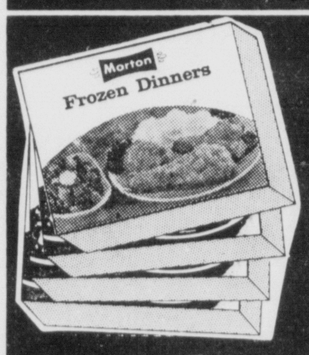
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LB PKG 28c

EXPIRES JANUARY 8 R-7



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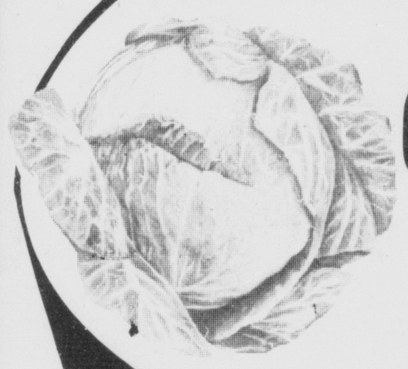
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SOLID FIRM

CABBAGE



LB 7c

HOMEMADE LEMON PIES $1.49

SOLID CRISP LETTUCE HEAD 19c

SWEET & JUICY ORANGES 3 DOZEN $1.00

JUICY & SEEDLESS GRAPEFRUIT 4 FOR 49c

BYRANS BAR-B-QUE FROZEN Sandwiches 5 FOR $1.29

HYDE PARK FROZEN ORANGE JUICE 4 6 OZ CAN 79c

BALLARD BISCUITS CAN 10c

JUST RITE CHILI 300 SIZE CAN 39c

KELLYS TAMALES 300 SIZE CAN 39c

GEISHA Pineapple 2 NO 2 CAN 69c

ROYAL PRINCE TENDER PEAS 5 303 CAN 98c

BUTTERFIELD WHOLE KERNEL CORN 5 303 CAN 98c

CHEF WAY Shortening 3 LB CAN $1.09

SWANSDOWN CAKE MIX LIMIT 3 3 PKG 89c

HEIFETZ HAMBURGER SLICED DILL PICKLES QT 49c

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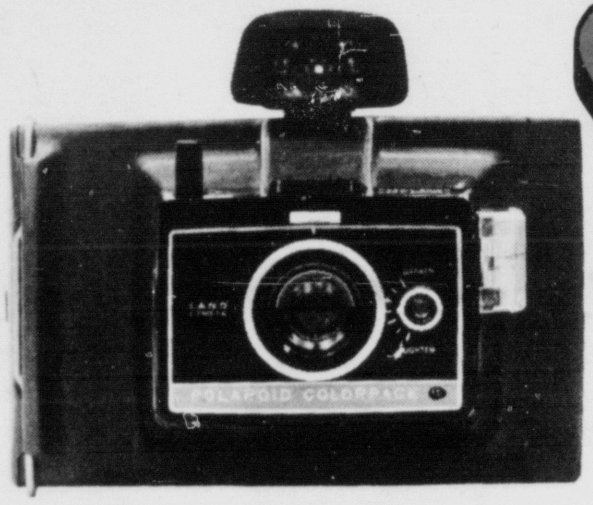
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Pack of 10
Osco Reg. 99¢

88¢ Limit 3



POLAROID COLOR PACK CAMERA

29.99 OSCO REG. 39.95

BIG SIZE BLACK & WHITE AND COLOR PICTURES

- Electric Eye
- Electronic Shutter

GREAT BUY!



BIG SIZE 18 INCH x 25 FOOT

Diamond Foil

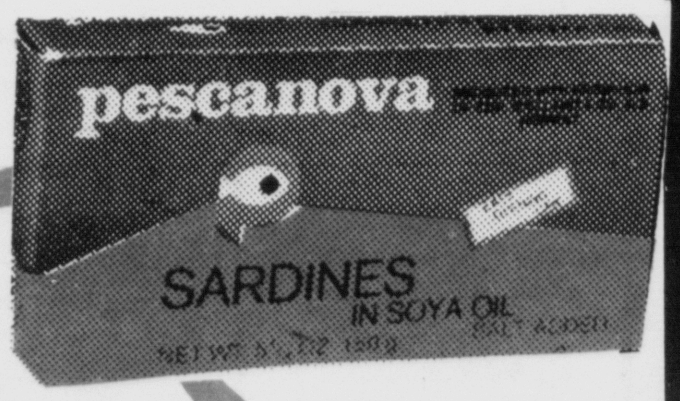
39¢ LIMIT 6 OSCO REG. 59¢



PLEDGE FURNITURE POLISH

PLEDGE
7 OZ LEMON OR REG.
OSCO REG. 99¢

69¢



Sardines

4 for $1.00

LIMIT 12

5¼ OZ. PACKED IN SOYA OIL
OSCO REG. 44¢

13¢

SALE INSIDE

Your Choice 13c each

Everyday Giftwrap
2 sheets 20x30 inch
Choose from assorted patterns.
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**
Limit 10

SCOPE
TRIAL SIZE
Limit 6
3 ounces
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**

SUPREME Aspirin
Limit 4 Bottle of 100
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**

PLASTIC Utility Pail
5 quart capacity.
Avocado.
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c** Limit 6 Each

Lighter Fluid
Limit 6
4 ounces
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**

Plastic Housewares
- Bread Basket
- Dust Pan
- Mustard Dispenser
- Ketchup Dispenser
- One Quart Freezer Container
- 2-Pc. Soap Dish
- 16 Oz. Freezer Container
- 10 oz. Tumblers
- Measuring Cup
- Butter Dish
- Spoon Rest
- Snack Bowl

Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c** Each
Limit 15

LIFETIME Unbreakable Combs
Assorted styles for ladies and men.
Osco Reg. 25¢ **13c**
Limit 8

LePage's Thrift Tape
Limit 10

Tic Tac Mints
Refreshing taste sensation.
Osco Reg. 19¢ **13c**
Limit 4

We Guarantee What We Sell
We want you to be pleased with everything you buy at Osco. If it isn't all you expected it to be, return it to any Osco Drugstore for a complete refund, exchange, or adjustment to your satisfaction. We're in business to satisfy you, and if you're not satisfied, then we're not doing our job.
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Emery Board
Professional size, coarse & fine sides.
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c** Limit 6

Nail Clipper
Full size with file.
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**
Limit 6

Jergen's Lotion
2 oz. trial size.
Reg. 20¢ **13c**
Limit 6

5 in. Nail File
With case.
Reg. 29¢ **13c**
LIMIT6

Tweezers
OSCO REG. 33¢ **13c**
Limit 6

RAPID SHAVE
TRIAL SIZE
SPECIAL COLOGNE SCENT
13c
LIMIT 6

Shoe Laces
Brown, Black or White.
27 Inch
LIMIT 6 **13c**

Ronson Lighter Flints
Limit 3
Card of 5
Osco Reg. 19¢ **13c**

Ream-N-Klean Pipe Cleaners
Limit 3
Pack of 24
Osco Reg. 19¢ **13c**

Plastic Cigarette Case
Limit 1
Holds all lengths of cigarettes.
Osco Reg. **13c**

LePage's Thrift Tape
½"x800 Inches
13c Each

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ELMER'S Glue-All
1¼ ounces
Limit 3
Osco Reg. 27¢ **13c**

ELMER'S School Glue
1¼ ounces
Limit 3
Osco Reg. 27¢ **13c**

WRIGLEY'S Plen-T-Pak
Pack of 17 sticks
Limit 6
Osco Reg. 17¢ **13c**

Coloring Books
Limit 10
64 fun filled pages
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**

Liquid Bubbles
8 ounces Limit 6
Osco Reg. 23¢ **13c**

Balloons
Pack of 29
Limit 6
Osco Reg. 27¢ **13c**

Paddle Ball
Limit 10
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**

Polyester Thread
Black or White
Osco Reg. 19¢ **13c**

Drop Cloth
Limit 4
9 ft. x 12 ft.
Clear plastic.
Osco Reg. 19¢ **13c**

Masking Tape
Limit 10
½ in. x 15 yard roll
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**

Valu-Pack Bowl Deodorant
Limit 6
3 ounce
Osco Reg. 29¢ **13c**

You can see Osco's low prescription prices.

Because Osco Drug respects your right to know and compare, we've posted our prescription prices on large, yellow signs in our Pharmacies. We will also give you price information by phone. **471-8563**

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING



Liquid Prell Rich Shampoo

16 OZ BOTTLE **$1.39** OSCO REG. $1.63

24¢ CASH SAVINGS

Expires 1-5-74

LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING

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Lilt Special Home Permanent

EASY AT HOME PERMANENT **$1.19** OSCO REG. $1.69

50¢ CASH SAVINGS

Expires 1-5-74

LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING

CASH-SAVING



Gelusil 165's Antacid Tablets

165 TABLETS IN BOTTLE **$1.99** OSCO REG. $3.18

$1.19 CASH SAVINGS

Expires 1-5-74

LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING

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Sucrets Sore Throat Spray

.25 OZ **59¢** OSCO REG. $1.39

80¢ CASH SAVINGS

Expires 1-5-74

LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING

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Giant Joy Dishwashing Detergent

32 OZ **79¢** OSCO REG. 99¢

30¢ CASH SAVINGS

Expires 1-5-74

LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING

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Mitchum's Spray Antiperspirant

5 OZ AEROSOL **$2.49** OSCO REG. $3.09

60¢ CASH SAVINGS

Expires 1-5-74

LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING

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OSCO Clinicare Lotion

10 OZ PLASTIC BOTTLE **59¢** OSCO REG. 79¢

20¢ CASH SAVINGS

Expires 1-5-74

LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING

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OSCO Baby Oil

16 OZ PLASTIC BOTTLE **68¢** OSCO REG. 88¢

20¢ CASH SAVINGS

Expires 1-5-74

LIMIT ONE PER CUSTOMER

OSCO Drug

CASH-SAVING

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